

WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and vicinity—Increasing easterly and southerly winds, unsettled and mild, with rain.
Vancouver and vicinity—Easterly and southerly winds, fresh to strong, on the Gulf, mild, with rain.

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Belgian Proposals Of Reparation Plan Accepted by Powers

British, French and Italian Governments Agree to Scheme Advanced as Basis for Forthcoming Negotiations Looking to the Solution of German Situation—Technical Investigations Made

COMMISSION WILL UNDERTAKE TASK SUGGESTED IN REPORT

BRUSSELS, Oct. 13.—The Belgian action today inviting French, British and Italian governments to refer to the interallied reparations commission the Belgian reparation plan to be used as a basis of a concrete plan of German reparations in the forthcoming negotiations was made known in an official news agency communique. It read:

"The Belgian government has called the attention of the French, British and Italian governments to the technical studies of the reparation problem communicated by the Brussels government to the Allied governments suggesting the advisability that they be examined by the reparation commission. These technical investigations indicate methods by which Germany could pay her debts."

"The Belgian Government feels that these reports are destined to serve, partially at least, as a basis for concrete reparations plan, in submitting them to the Allies she had only one purpose, namely, to assist in bringing about a practical solution of the reparations problem."

"The Belgian Government had thought that when the Reichs should have abandoned its policy of resistance, fulfilling the conditions upon which, according to the Franco-Belgian 'communiqué' of June 6, the question of resumption of negotiations hung, it would be in accord concerning the solution of reparations question."

"Nevertheless, the commission of passive resistance may not yet be considered complete, but the Belgian Government takes the view, owing to the technical character of the reports which it submitted to the Allies, that a preliminary examination should be made of them by experts, thus facilitating the task of the governments of the Allies when they are again called upon to study the reparations problem."

"The French, British and Italian Governments have accepted the Belgian Government's proposal and the reparations commission will undertake the work."

MR. LLOYD GEORGE REACHES WINNIPEG

Former British Premier Arrives at Prairie Capital—Receives Enthusiastic Welcome

WINNIPEG, Oct. 13.—Mr. David Lloyd George reached Winnipeg this afternoon. He was welcomed officially by representatives of the province and the city and a big crowd which had gathered in front of and around the Canadian Pacific station and along Main Street for blocks.

Mr. Lloyd George, who had been welcomed formally by Mayor Farmer and the aldermen.

The crowds everywhere showed tremendous enthusiasm for Britain's war-time premier and his reception was a popular one in every sense.

QUIET DAY IN STRIKE CIRCLES IN VANCOUVER

Overt Actions Confined to Stone Throwing, But No Heads Are Broken—One Arrest

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13.—Saturday was a quiet day along the waterfront from a police standpoint, with the exception of some stone throwing by strikers or sympathizers who at 2:15 p.m. made an unsuccessful attempt to force the gates at the Union Steamship Company docks. No casualties were reported and the attackers dispersed before the arrival of the city police.

Men who gathered on the Granville street bridge, apparently for the purpose of bombarding with stones and missiles, workers being carried on a tugboat, were dispersed by city constables.

William Robertson, arrested Friday and charged with attacking a driver, whose automobile had been used to carry workers, was fined \$10 and remanded to October 15 on a charge of damaging the automobile. Determined to protect workers on the waterfront from violence from the hands of gangsters, city officials empowered the police department to enlist all the special officers that may be necessary to maintain law and order.

The Empress of Japan has been moved over to the C. P. R. dock and is rapidly being equipped to accommodate longshore workers. With the Casiar and Tillamook moored nearby accommodation for about 1,700 men has been provided.

FLOODS RAVAGE SOUTH OKLAHOMA

ENID, Okla., Oct. 13.—All stores were flooded and numerous residences were partly submerged by a nine-foot wall of water which swept through parts of Woodward, Okla., today when the North Canadian river overflowed from recent heavy rains, according to reports reaching here over the crippled wires tonight.

Freedom, a small town on the Cimarron river also was inundated, the advices said, stores there being flooded.

Railroad traffic is demoralized. Nearly one hundred bridges have been carried away and sections of trolleys in a number of places are out.

Italian Consul-General



SIGNOR PIO MARZOTTI
Of Rome, newly appointed Consul-General for Italy, who is shown in his residence in Montreal.

WARM WEATHER DUE TO TEMPEST

TAKING ABNORMAL COURSE TO CROSS ALASKA AND YUKON
Mr. Napier Denison Contradicts Supposition That Earthquake Was the Indirect Cause

An interesting explanation of the continued mild weather which is being experienced on the Pacific Coast from California to the Yukon was made last night by Mr. F. Napier Denison, director of the Government meteorological station, Gonzales Heights, Victoria. According to Mr. Denison, the reason lies in the presence of a vast ocean storm, which on Friday morning was centred in the Pacific some eight hundred miles off Prince Rupert. Ships reported heavy gales extending fifteen hundred miles to the west and south of that centre. On Saturday morning the storm was moving northeast towards Alaska, and by Saturday evening its influence was extending to the Yukon, and heavy rains had extended southward as far as Prince Rupert.

Usually, Mr. Denison explained, the heavy Autumn storms of the Pacific move to the southward at this time of the year, but the present disturbance was taking an abnormal course to the northeast across Alaska. The supposition has been made that the abnormally mild weather on the Coast might be due to the warm Japanese current being thrown from its accustomed course by the recent great earthquake, but Mr. Denison stated the temperature of the sea here did not warrant such a belief. According to the thermometer at the William Head quarantine station, the water is slightly warmer than is usual for this time of year, but Mr. Denison believes it is caused by the mild weather conditions prevailing over the Pacific Coast.

Temperatures reported yesterday at various Coast points were as follows: Victoria, maximum, 47; Prince Rupert, maximum, 42; Astoria, maximum, 44; minimum, 44; Dawson, maximum, 44; minimum, 46; Seattle, maximum, 72; Portland, maximum, 76; mouth of the Columbia River, maximum, 78; San Francisco, maximum, 82.

Up to the present the Autumn weather in Alaska and the Yukon has been the warmest on record.

Japanese Government To Make Ends Meet

Minister of Finance Forecasts Cessation or Postponement of Schemes Now Under Way in Order to Cope With Situation That Arose Through the Earthquake

TOKIO, Oct. 13.—Economic and financial principles to be pursued, in view of the vast trail of destruction left by the earthquake, have been outlined by Minister of Finance Inoue. He said that although receipts would be decreased because of the reduction of taxes in the devastated areas, yet the government was determined to make ends meet by a strenuous effort at retrenchment.

MR. HENRY FORD IN PRESIDENTIAL FIGHT

His Hat in Ring, Washington Heats—Makes Attack Upon President Coolidge Administration

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Washington thinks that Henry Ford has definitely thrown his hat into the ring and will be a Presidential candidate. The newspapers printed a statement from the Detroit manufacturer in which he attacked Secretary of War Weeks for selling the Georges plant in the Muesel Shoal development. He linked Mr. Weeks with "international financiers" and corporation lawyers. In many quarters this is regarded as an attack on the Coolidge administration. It was later announced that Mr. Ford would allow his name to go on the Nebraska primary ballot as a candidate of the Progressive Party.

Mr. Lloyd George Will Not Come To Coast

WINNIPEG, Oct. 13.—Definite announcement was made here this afternoon that Mr. Lloyd George would be unable to accept invitations from the West and coast cities and that his present programme must stand. He will continue his tour from here to Minneapolis.

His programme is arranged now so that he will not be back in England two days before Parliament convenes.

FIGHTING FIRES IN CALIFORNIA

Thousands of Men Are Endeavoring to Stop Ravages of Forest Conflagrations in Southern State

FLAMES WITHIN TWO MILES OF PASADENA

Dynamite Is Being Used to Cut Off Supply and Stop Ravages—Explosion of Oil Heater Cause of Trouble

PASADENA, Oct. 13.—Two thousand men are fighting a fire spreading through Montrose, La Canada, Flint Ridge and La Crescenta and within two miles of Pasadena. Hundreds have fled from their homes and scores of fine country residences are in the path of flames which had burned over an area of five square miles.

The main electric power lines into Los Angeles from Big Creek, Fresno County, have been burned down and electric service to Pasadena, Los Angeles and nearby towns has been interrupted.

Dynamite is being used to blow up the trees in the path of the flames. Fire fighters report the fire sweeping toward residential sections under a fifty-mile wind.

Fire originated at Montrose from the explosion of an oil heater in a bungalow.

Close to Town
GLENDALE, Oct. 13.—Alarms were sounded in Eagle Rock City, a few miles northeast of here, tonight, when flames of a forest and brush fire, which has been raging several miles north of here all day, burst over the last hill separating the fire from Eagle Rock City.

It was said the blaze had come within three hundred yards of many hillside residences on the edge of the town.

Children Burned to Death
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 13.—Three small children, trapped by fire on the second floor of the general store operated by C. H. Stanley, in Lanesville, Ind., were burned to death when fire of undetermined origin destroyed the building tonight, according to a special dispatch to the Louisville Herald.

ASKED INSPECTION OF BANK AFFAIRS

WESTERN MANAGER OF HOME BANK SOUGHT INQUIRY

Toronto Paper Has Story Financial Condition Was Known to Manager Since "Frozen Out"

TORONTO, Oct. 13.—Information which reached The Globe a few days ago, and which subsequently was made the subject of careful inquiries in Toronto, Ontario, Stratford and Kitchener, is believed by those in touch with the situation, to have an important bearing on the affairs of the defunct Home Bank, says this morning's Globe.

"It is now known that as far back as 1914, some of the trusted officials of the bank expressed alarm regarding the institution's future, and asked for an inspection and inquiry by the board of directors," the paper continues.

"At that time news of such startling nature conveyed to the bank's three Western directors by W. N. Macchaffie, then manager of the bank's Western business, that investigations were commenced. Mr. Macchaffie, however, according to a statement obtained from one of the bank's officials in Toronto, Mr. Macchaffie, in September, 1915, actually asked the Western directors to take legal advice as to whether the Minister of Finance, Sir Thomas White, ought to be informed."

These Western directors—Messrs. T. A. Cresser, John Kennedy and John F. Cresser—did act, and James Fisher, K.C., of Winnipeg, laid before the Minister the statement as reported by Mr. Macchaffie.

Asks Inquiry
Sir Thomas White asked that Z. A. Lash, K.C., look into these accounts and advise him. In addition, Sir Thomas called for special returns and insisted that interest in the A. B. Frost account should not be taken into profits.

"In a statement made to The Globe last night, Sir Thomas said that he was satisfied of the time that matters had been arranged in a business-like manner, including payment of interest on the Bellat account and the receipt of additional securities to guarantee it."

"In 1916, Mr. Macchaffie came to Toronto, at first in an advisory capacity. Desiring an inspection of the head office, an inspection was instituted which showed a discrepancy, but the man who discovered it, Mr. Macchaffie claims, was soon afterward ordered to a faraway branch and he subsequently resigned."

"Mr. Macchaffie, who is now a resident of Stratford, Ont., told The Globe that in 1916 he had discussed the famous Frost account with President Macchaffie, telling him how wrong it was to add unpaid interest to such an account. Mr. Macchaffie had discussed taking over the general management with the Board of Directors, but his nearest approach to this office was when he became assistant to the president. Again he urged head office inspection, but nothing came of it, and, according to his own description of events, he was virtually 'frozen out' of his position."

South Africa Awakens



PREMIER SMUTS
Of South Africa, who is attending the Imperial Conference in London, told of the renaissance of South Africa after passing through a terrible economic and political crisis. He predicts a great future for his country in the production of cotton.

ALGERINE HITS ROCK IN NORTH

SALVAGE STEAMER ASHORE IN PRINCEPIAL CHANNEL
Vessel Meets Disaster When Speeding to Wreck of Kennecott—All the Crew Safe

As the climax to a week of marine distress and disaster, the salvage steamer *Algerine* is today hard and fast ashore on Brodie Rock, Prince Channel, near Swanson Bay, and some five hundred miles distant from Victoria, while barges and other salvage craft are being rushed to her assistance from Prince Rupert and Vancouver.

The vessel left Victoria Wednesday night, dispatched by the Pacific Salvage Company to attempt the salvage of the wrecked American motorship *Kennecott* at Hunter's Point, Queen Charlotte Islands, and was en route to that vicinity when she struck at 5:50 p.m. yesterday. The ship's powerful wireless equipment enabled her to get into immediate direct communication with the Gonzales Hill radio station here to acquaint the owners with her plight and to allay the anxiety of the families of the crew, which hails in the entirety from Victoria.

Crew Safe
The crew is absolutely safe, and the vessel is believed to be in no danger. The salvage company announced last night. There is a southeast wind blowing, but the ship is in sheltered waters inside Banks Island. Apparently she was not leaking, the messages said. It is impossible to say when she might be expected to float, as it would be necessary to lighten her before she could come off.

Barges were last night sent from Prince Rupert to relieve her in that manner. At the same time the new salvage steamer *Hercules*, which the company has stationed at Vancouver, was ordered north to the *Algerine's* assistance, and left the Mainland port at eight o'clock last night. She will arrive early Monday. She is equipped with a powerful towing machine and with modern salvage facilities that will lighten the task of getting the *Algerine* back into deep water again.

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DISORDER PREVAILS THROUGH GERMANY

In Dusseldorf Stores Are Being Sacked of Food and Clothing and a State of Anarchy Prevails—Authorities Have Requested the French Troops to Protect Public Buildings—Police Powerless

Pillaging Becomes More Systematic and General

DUSSELDORF, Oct. 13.—Fifty or more stores were sacked of food and clothing in Dusseldorf during the day, by unemployed and lawless elements, and the looting continued tonight, almost unhampered, except by a few resolute but quickly vanquished store owners and shopkeepers.

Pillaging likewise is reported from many other parts of the Ruhr.

The French troops, at the request of the city authorities, took over protection of the public buildings, because since the French disbanded the security police there remain only two hundred blue police, who are able to do little against the plunderers.

French armored cars and cavalry frequently cleared the streets today, but the crowds scattered only to gather again when the troops passed.

French Guards Mounted
The French have also placed detachments to guard the building where the Allied personnel are employed, but otherwise have adopted a strict "hands off" policy.

The German population in general showed an apathetic attitude or found the scenes amusing, no one even trying to dissuade the looters from Denking open stores and emptying them of merchandise. Many of the half hundred stores entered were stripped completely.

Pillagers this afternoon broke into a department store in the heart of the city and carried off about 100 suits of clothes and a large amount of other merchandise. One looter came out carrying a lavender suit of high visibility, which he tried on in the presence of a laughing crowd at the foot of the Von Moltke statue. This attitude of disinterested amusement was adopted even by scores of French soldiers who mingled with the Germans.

Troubled Situation as Joke
The shop owners were the only ones who resisted. Some of them were women who threw handfuls of flour and pepper in the faces of the advance guard of looters, but this merely delayed matters for a moment. As the success of the plundering movement became certain, the looting was reinforced and by afternoon the pillaging became more widespread and systematic.

Plundering is reported from Duisburg, Buer, Bochum, Essen, Cologne and a number of small towns, like Neuss, in the French area, where German police fired, wounding eleven.

The situation at Duisburg became more menacing with the complete shutdown of thirteen factories, which employed about 100,000 operatives.

CHINA'S PRESIDENT AGAINST BANDITRY

No "Idle Talk," Says Head of Oriental Nation—Seeks to Stand in With Western Powers

PEKIN, Oct. 13.—President Tsao Kuo, in a presidential mandate issued today, notified the provincial governors that banditry must cease in the various districts of China, and that hereafter he will insist on less "idle talk" and more action in dealing with the outlaw bands.

"In order to maintain friendly relations with the powers," the mandate reads, "provincial officials, both military and civil, should be held responsible for making a clean sweep of the evil characters in the respective areas and within a specified period."

"It is expected that special attention will be given to the protection of foreigners under all conditions. The country should be a place of safety for foreign guests, and bandits and thieves must be eliminated."

"The provincial authorities should fully discharge their duties in purification of their territories, and use idle talk. They must remember the President of China has certain regulations dealing with unfaithful officials."

The foreign office has invited all the diplomats to the presidential reception Monday.

In view of the known attitude of the diplomatic representatives who have resented the government's recent rejection of the allied Lin Cheng's stipulations for the protection of the Chinese railways, the invitation is regarded as forecasting a reversal of China's attitude.

ENTERS PROTEST AGAINST ROUND-UP

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 13.—Acting on a recent published story that a motion picture producer had arranged with the province of Alberta, for photographing a stampede and round-up of buffalo in Wainwright, Alberta, the American Animal Defence League has telegraphed a protest to the Lieutenant-Governor of the province.

The message, signed by Edwin T. Kemler, president, declares it "needless cruelty of a demoralizing spectacle, and that motion pictures involving cruelty to animals are a 'menace to civilization.'"

Fire in Akron
AKRON, O., Oct. 14.—Fire which raged for three hours and threatened to wipe out the east end business section of the city was brought under control shortly before one o'clock this morning, after causing damage approximating \$100,000.

German Dictatorship Or Else Revolution

Rt. Hon. Lloyd George, Speaking in Winnipeg, Deals With Foreign Situation—Expresses Confidence in the Great Future of Canada and Looks to Large European Immigration

WINNIPEG, Oct. 13.—Confidence in a great future for Canada was expressed by Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, British war Prime Minister, in a farewell address to the Dominion, delivered at a mass meeting in Olympic Rink here today. He is to leave tomorrow for the United States.

BRITISH OPINION AGAINST EXHUMATION

Search for Remains in England of Founder of Colony of Virginia Announces Protest There

LONDON, Oct. 13.—Although the uncovering of the Oglethorpe vault has not stirred popular feeling as did the hunt for the body of Pocahontas, the discovery of the remains of a colonial hero has been met with a great project of burial he and his wife preferred.

Moreover, it is pointed out, Georgia was founded as an English colony and that General Oglethorpe never would have undertaken his great project had he suspected that some day his colonists would rebel successfully against England.

Minister Relieved

OTTAWA, Oct. 13.—Rt. Hon. W. B. Fielding, Minister of Finance, declined this morning to comment on a dispatch from Calgary stating that Frederick Greenfield, of Alberta, had communicated with him regarding assistance to Home Bank depositors. "I have nothing to say," remarked Mr. Fielding when shown the dispatch.

MAINLAND PAPER HAS NEW OWNER

CHILLIWACK, B.C., Oct. 12.—The sale of the Chilliwack Progress to Mayor C. A. Barber was announced here today by Senator J. D. Taylor, of New Westminster. Possession will be given on November 1. The sale includes the property as well as the plant and business.

The Chilliwack Progress was established over thirty years ago by Mr. W. T. Jackman, of Chilliwack, but for the past twenty years it has been owned and directed by Senator Taylor. Mr. Barber has been connected with the printing and publishing business since boyhood in Ontario, Manitoba and British Columbia, and was from 1912 to 1915 editor of the Progress.

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Official Sentenced
HALIFAX, Oct. 13.—Robert Theakston, recently dismissed from the office of city collector after holding that position for more than thirty years, was found guilty last night of theft of \$34,000 of civic funds, and remanded for sentence.





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As all cheques improperly stamped will be returned by the banks, we would request subscribers when paying their telephone account by cheque to see that the proper excise stamp is placed thereon, instead of the ordinary postage stamp, heretofore used.

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HAS GOOD WORD FOR PREFERENCE

SOUTH AFRICAN MINISTER WELCOMES PROPOSAL

Suggestion of Aid to Colonies Meets With Approval From the African Colony

PRETORIA, Oct. 13.—Sir Thomas Smart, Minister of Agriculture, interviewed yesterday, affirmed that even the present limited preference was an advantage to overseas producers as well as British manufacturers.

He welcomed Sir Philip Lloyd-Graeme's preference proposals and hoped the question would be thoroughly considered, adding that the dominions could absorb large numbers of settlers for reinforcing the ranks of the producers, provided they were assured of a preferential market for their products.

Mr. Lloyd George a Convert
LONDON, Oct. 13.—The Morning Post's political correspondent writes: "There are persistent rumors that Lloyd George, with the aid of the Earl of Birkenhead and even, it is confidently stated, Winston Churchill, will come out as a full-blown advocate of imperial preference when the former Premier returns from America."

It is said with assurance that at least one of the advance agents who went to Canada some time before Lloyd George arrived there had declared this will be the new policy of his chief. And the person who says this has just returned from the Dominion.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—Former Premier Asquith, addressing at Perth night a meeting under the auspices of the Scottish Liberal Federation, taunted the Government in regard to imperial preference, and warned his hearers not to treat the matter too lightly because they would soon see it was not merely a question of current buns and raisin puddings. A preference policy would be an act of industrial suicide for Great Britain. It was a fallacy to suppose that imperial trade could be developed only by fiscal tinkering.

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SO THIS IS MEXICO!
(The Government of the United States recently "recognized" Mexico.)
—From The Los Angeles Times.

London Paper Sees Change in Status of the Dominion

LONDON, Oct. 13.—Serious rumors are in circulation regarding the Prince of Wales and Canada, according to The Daily Sketch.

The Prince's declared attachment to the Dominion and his promise to the newspaper continues. One of them is the elevation of Canada from the status of a Dominion to that of a Kingdom.

Some people seem to force great developments within the Empire, the newspaper says, and the elevation of Canada from the status of a Dominion to that of a Kingdom.

The story is likely to arouse skeptical laughter here, but the newspaper prints it seriously.

REVELATIONS COME FOLLOWING INQUIRY

Escaped Convicts Furnished With Road Map, Way Carefully Planned

KINGSTON, Ont., Oct. 13.—As a result of the official investigation now being conducted by Brigadier-General Hughes, superintendent of penitentiaries, into the escape a month ago of five convicts from the Portsmouth penitentiary, one of whom, McMullen, was recaptured, some amazing revelations are coming to light.

It has developed that the convicts, when they made their escape, had a complete diagram in their possession of the route over which they were to travel once they obtained possession of any automobile, together with exact directions where they were "to ditch" their car, and how to proceed into Bell's Swamp, where they finally disappeared.

At the hearing in the penitentiary, John Swift, a resident of the Glenburnie district, went over seventy years of age, admitted he had given four men food during the day following the escape of the convicts, and discovered them in his barn. He did not notify the authorities.

The escape was a carefully pre-arranged one, the investigation has brought out, and the convicts and some of their friends were well supplied with money.

BANDITS SECURE CHINAMAN'S MONEY

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13.—Attacking the shack of Mah Choy, on the farm of Wo Sang, on the north arm of the Fraser River, at midnight Friday, four armed men held the chinaman powerless while they ransacked his dwelling and escaped with \$720.

Mah Choy is an elderly man. He was in bed when the thugs appeared and forced their way into the place. His cries of alarm were quickly silenced by the bandits, who systematically searched the room until they found the old man's little hoard of money.

IF KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE SALTS

Says Backache Often Means You Have Not Been Drinking Enough Water

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region, it may mean you have been eating foods which create acids, says a well-known authority. An excess of such acids overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become part of paralyzed and clogged. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels, removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells, your stomach sour, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water seals and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys also to neutralize acids in the system, so they no longer irritate, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

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EUROPEAN MARKETS FEEL SENSITIVE

Political Developments Reflected on Continental Bourses—British Securities Command Attention

LONDON, Oct. 13.—European conditions are not such as to inspire the stock markets with cheerfulness and it is interesting to note how sensitive the foreign exchanges are to political events.

Following Foreign Minister Curzon's speech at the Imperial Conference last week on reparations, there was an immediate decline in foreign currency of all the allied countries. Better tendency followed, but the uncertainty of the political situation on the continent affords little hope at present for a revival of trade.

British Government securities continue to command attention, particularly the 5 per cent war loan. The successful flotation of the State of Victoria and the Australian Commonwealth loans, amounting to \$16,500,000 together, absorbed within a fortnight, have been followed by a loan of the Nigeria Government of £3,700,000, to be used by the commission as a basis for concrete plans of German reparations in the impending negotiations.

RHODESIA ACCEPTS NEW GOVERNMENT

Ratifies Arrangement Conferring Colonial Powers—Imperial Preference Proposals Accepted

SALISBURY, Rhodesia, Oct. 13.—The Legislative Council of Rhodesia has passed the three million sterling loan bill and the bill ratifying the agreement with the Colonial Office by which the new Rhodesian Government accepts responsibility for the financing arrangements for the year beginning April 1 next.

Resolutions were adopted by the council expressing Rhodesia's appreciation for the grant of a constitution by the Imperial Government and for the generous financial assistance afforded.

The Minister of Agriculture reviewed the Imperial preference proposals laid before the Economic Conference and welcomed the increased tobacco preference, which, he said, would be a real assistance.

JURY'S VERDICT IS NOT GUILTY

Retrial of Esteemed Criminal Charge of Robbery With Violence Results in Original Verdict

ESTEVAN, Sask., Oct. 12.—After three-quarters of an hour's deliberations, a jury in the King's Bench Court here returned a verdict at 4 o'clock tonight of not guilty in the trial of Lee Dilleg, charged with the robbery of \$5,000 with violence from the body of the late Paul Matloff, murdered by armed bandits at Blenheim, on October 4, 1922.

First tried for murder and found not guilty, then charged with robbery with violence, the jury cleared at the King's Bench Court last March. This resulted in the trial at the present court on the latter charge. The murder of Matloff was the climax of a long series of hold-ups of whisky runners along the border.

Put British Opinion Before French Premier

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The Spectator says that the time has come to tell the truth about the Paris interview between the British and French premiers and to correct the misunderstandings which have arisen from the communiqué of September 19.

If the communiqué had given an accurate account of what happened at the interview between the two premiers, says the newspaper, it would have run as follows:

"Mr. Baldwin, at the meeting of premiers, made it clear that he did not desire to reargue the merits of the Ruhr controversy. On the other hand, he said that the British Government was unprepared. All he desired to do while establishing personal relations of confidence with M. Poincaré was to make him realize how overwhelmingly public opinion here was opposed to the policy of the French Government."

Fruit Bounties
MELBOURNE, Oct. 13.—Replying to a deputation representing the fruit industry which asked for government assistance, Dr. Earle Page, Australian treasurer, said the government had decided to grant bounties amounting to £15,000 with the object of increasing local consumption of fruit and the export of canned fruits. The bounties, he said, would be payable for the 1923-'24 season only.



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THE WORLD CRISIS: 1915

By the Right Hon. Winston S. Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, 1911-1915
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ARTICLE 7—THE SECOND GREEK OFFER

THE success of the naval attack upon the outer forts of the Dardanelles and the first penetration of the straits produced reactions of high consequence throughout Europe, and its repercussion was apparent all over the world. "The Turkish headquarters at the end of February," writes General Liman von Sanders, then the head of the German military mission, "expected the success of a break through by the hostile fleet. Arrangements were made for the Sultan, the court and the treasury to take refuge in the interior of Asia Minor." Far away on the Chicago stock exchange wheat prices fell with suddenness.

In Europe, Russia asked for a public declaration about Constantinople. At the outset of the war the attitude of Russia had been perfectly correct. She had joined with England and France in assuring Turkey that the territorial integrity of the Ottoman empire would be respected at the peace. But once Turkey, rejecting this fair offer, had taken sides against her, the Russian attitude changed. "The Turkish aggression," writes Monsieur Paleologue, the French ambassador in Petrograd, November 9, 1914, "has resounded to the depths of the Russian conscience. . . . All the romantic Utopias of Slavism have suddenly awakened." The supreme need of encouraging Russia in the midst of her disasters and defeats led Sir Edward Grey, as early as November, 1914, to instruct Sir George Buchanan to inform M. Sazonoff that the British Government recognized that the question of the straits and of Constantinople should be settled in conformity with Russian desires. At the time this had remained a complete secret. But now, in 1915, that there seemed to be a possibility of Constantinople falling into the hands of the Allies, Russian opinion required public reassurance. Such an announcement was bound to cause unfavorable reactions in Greece, Bulgaria and Rumania. Could we, on the other hand, afford to quarrel with or even dishonor Russia at the moment when she was reeling under the German cannonade, but was nevertheless contending manfully, and was all the time vital to our hopes of general victory? So important was the question judged that at the beginning of March the prime minister invited the leaders of the Conservative party, Lord Lansdowne and Mr. Bonar Law, to attend our council on the subject.

Leaders Invited to Conference
I was glad of this development, and strongly advised it. I had long wanted to see a national policy clearly stated, viewed with great disquiet the spectacle of this powerful Conservative party—almost all-powerful it had become since Liberal politics had been shattered for the time by the outbreak of the struggle—brooding morosely outside, with excellent information from the services, a complete detachment from all responsibility for the terrible business which had to go forward from day to day. We needed their aid. The empire needed their aid. We wanted all the able men in positions of high and active authority. I had frequently talked to Mr. Asquith in this sense in the early months of the war, and I now pointed out to him this moment, when some fruition and promise of success had come to us in the East, was of all others the time when necessary action and action could be effected on terms honorable to both great parties. The prime minister was far from being unconscious of this aspect of the situation. He had stability which the general state of war takes a turn for the worse, as seemed very likely. I very pointedly stated my first meeting with the official chiefs of the opposition—Mr. Balfour being already in our councils—might lead to rapid developments in the direction of our national unity and cohesion. The two Conservative leaders, however, showed plainly by their manner that they did not intend to become responsible for a fraction only of the policy of the state and were chary of committing themselves in regard to a single incident. This was natural, but the result was unfortunate. The council did not march satisfactorily, although a united decision was reached. And on the whole, as the result, a chilling impression of domestic politics was, I think, sustained by the prime minister.

Bulgaria Intimidated
In the early days of March both Greek and British and French applied the Russian Government that they would agree to the annexation of Constantinople by Russia as a part of a victorious peace and this momentous fact was accordingly made public on the 12th.
In the Balkans the effect of the naval operations was electrical. The attitude of Bulgaria changed with lightning swiftness. Within a fortnight our intelligence reports showed that the Turks were being forced to move back to Adrianople and develop their front against Bulgaria. General Jager, the head of a special mission then at Sofia, telegraphed to Lord Kitchener on March 17 that after an audience with the King he was convinced that "the operations in the Dardanelles have made a deep impression, that all possibility of Bulgaria attacking any Italian state that might side with the entente is now over, and there is some reason to think that shortly the Bulgarian army will move against Turkey to co-operate in the Dardanelles operations." The attitude of Rumania also became one of extreme and friendly vigilance. Russia, although she had not previously been able to spare more than 1,000 Cossacks for action in the Balkans, now offered the fullest naval co-operation, and began to concentrate an army corps under General Iatomi at Batum to participate in what was believed to be the impending fall of Constantinople.

Hope for Italian Intervention
On March 2 our minister at Bucharest telegraphed that the Rumanian Prime Minister had said that his conviction that Italy "would soon move" had become stronger. "My Russian colleague has twice seen the Italian minister, and while the latter had often before spoken to him about Italy, joining us in the war, his language on the last two occasions was more precise than ever before and was indeed almost pressing. He spoke of acquisitions on the Adriatic coast, and a share in the eventual partition of Turkey. Italy would have in a month's time an army of 1,000,000 men ready to move. . . . Other similar indications flowed in. On March 5 I mentioned to Sir Edward Grey, "The attitude of Italy is remarkable. If she can be induced to join with us, the Austrian fleet would be powerless and the Mediterranean as safe as an English lake. Surely the Italian Government would be made to encourage Italy to come forward. From leaving an alliance to declaring war is only a step." The Foreign Secretary replied in writing, "I will neglect no opportunity."

Most important of all were the effects upon Greece. We have seen how on February 11, M. Venizelos, in spite of his friendship for the Allies and his deep desire to join them, had refused to be drawn into the war by the futile offer of a British and French division. But the attack on the Dardanelles produced an immediate change. On March 1 the British minister in Athens telegraphed that M. Venizelos had put forward a proposal that a Greek army of 100,000 men should be sent to Gallipoli. Sir Edward Grey promptly replied that His Majesty's Government would gladly accept this aid, and added that the Admiralty were very anxious that the Greeks should assist with ships as well as troops in the Dardanelles. The British Minister replied on March 2, "We are in a position to make up a definite offer tomorrow. . . . He had already approached the King, who, I added, the minister learn from another source, is in favor of war."

Second Greek Offer
On the 3rd the British military attaché at Athens telegraphed that "The view of the Greek General Staff was universally that the naval attack should be assisted by land operations. Their plan was to disembark four or five Greek divisions at the southern extremity of the peninsula and to advance against the heights east of Maldoz. Three successive defended positions would have to be carried, but Turks could not develop large forces on the lack of space for deployment. If simultaneously an attack by a separate and sufficient force was made against lines of Bulair, either by disembarking troops north of the line, or by the use of the Greek divisions and one or two Territorial Divisions from England. There was surely a reasonable prospect that with all these forces playing their respective parts in a general scheme, the forces not to be left out of the fall of Constantinople and the collapse of the Turkish Empire. One step more, one effort more—and Constantinople was in our hands, and all the Balkan States committed to irrevocable hostility to the Central Powers. One must pause, and with the tragic knowledge of after days dwell upon this astounding situation, which had been produced swiftly, easily, surely, by a comparatively small naval enterprise directed at a vital nerve-centre of the world."

Dangerous Russian Action
But now a terrible facility intervened. Russia—falling, reeling backward under the German hammer, with her munitions running short,

cut off from her allies—Russia was the power which ruptured irretrievably this brilliant and decisive combination. On March 3 the Russian foreign minister informed our ambassador that:

"The Russian Government could not consent to Greece participating in operations in the Dardanelles, as it would be sure to lead to complications."

"The Emperor," M. Sazonoff added, "had in an audience, which he had had with His Majesty yesterday, declared he could not under any circumstances consent to Greek co-operation in the Dardanelles." This was a hard saying. Was there no finger to write upon the wall, was there no ancestral spirit to conjure the downfall of his house, the ruin of his people—the bloody cellar of Ekaterinburg?

In Athens the Russian minister, under orders from his government, was active to discourage and resist the Greek intervention. In particular, the King of Greece was made aware that in no circumstances would he be allowed to enter Constantinople with his troops. Other suggestions were made, that perhaps one Greek division might be allowed to participate, "thus having the advantage that the king could not take the field in person." Can one wonder that, with his German consort and German leanings, with every appeal on the one hand and this violent rebuff upon the other, King Constantine was thrown back and relapsed into his previous attitude of hostile reserve?

King Constantine Rebuffed
Further advice from the French Foreign office on March 4 stated: "The Russian Government would not at any price accept the co-operation of Greece in Constantinople expedition."

The French minister of foreign affairs thinks progress of Anglo-French fleet may be such as to enable it to appear before Constantinople without necessity of landing troops, except a small body to hold the Bulair lines. There might consequently not be any occasion for military co-operation with Greece.

If the Russian Government offer co-operation in the Dardanelles expedition, they should be told that co-operation of Greece in the war must be entire, and she must give active support to Serbia.

Our minister at Athens, the well-informed and vigilant Elliot, left us in no doubt of the Greek position. "To insist on Greek support of Serbia," he telegraphed on the 5th, "except in the event of a Bulgarian attack, would be to wreck the prospect of Greek co-operation with us. The Prime Minister himself had been convinced by the arguments of the general staff as to the strategic danger of such an operation."

The British military attaché telegraphed me on the 6th: "My Russian colleague told me today that he thought Russia would object to presence of King of Greece in Constantinople, and might make a stipulation that he did not come, a condition of acceptance of the present Greek offer. Any such restriction might lead to collapse of the whole proposal. I urged him to represent to Russian general staff the strategic advantages of the proposal. Entry of Greece into the war would give best guarantee of success. Serbia if again attacked by Austria, and maintenance of Greek forces intact would have initially a deterrent effect upon Bulgaria, which in turn might see Russian force co-operate with Russia in Bukovina."

Could Have Corfu Base
The French would benefit by securing Corfu as a naval base for the Adriatic, and a general movement in favor of the triple entente would be set going in the Balkans. "The King," he added, "will not initially accompany the force, but when Constantinople is approached, he may alter his mind. If it is conceivable that the king of the Bulgarians might like to anticipate him by co-operating against the Turkish army—which might have decisive results. "Russia is objecting to a temporary presence of either king would be then most unfortunate."

"M. Venizelos," he continued, "received a great reaction in procession today, but the main reason for popularity of his proposal to join us is the hope of Greek troops reaching Constantinople. . . . Feeling the situation, as I did, in every nerve of my body, I was acutely distressed. The time-honored quotation I learnt as a schoolboy—'Quem deus predestinare vult, prius demerit'—resounded in all its deep significance now that conditions as tragic and fate-laden as those of ancient Rome had again descended upon the world. This was, indeed, the kind of situation for which such terrible sentences had been framed—perhaps it was for this very situation that this sentence had been prophetically reserved."

In my distress I wrote to Sir Edward Grey.

Mr. Churchill to Sir Edward Grey
"March 6, 1915
"I beseech you at this crisis not to make a mistake in falling below the level of events. Half-hearted measures will ruin all, and a million men will die through the prolongation of the war. You must be bold and violent. You have a right to be. Our fleet is forcing the Dardanelles. No army can reach Constantinople but those which we invite, yet we seek nothing here but the victory of the common cause."

"Tell the Russians that we will meet them in a generous and sympathetic spirit about Constantinople. But no impediment must be placed in the way of Greek co-operation. We must have Greece and Bulgaria. If they will come, I am so afraid of your losing Greece, and yet paying all the future into Russian hands. If Russia prevents Greece helping, I will do my utmost to oppose her having Constantinople. She is a broken power but for our aid, and has no resources open to turn traitor—and this she cannot do."

"If you don't back up this Greece—the Greece of Venizelos—you will have another which will cleave to Germany."

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TRAGEDY OF THE SOCKEYE

The "tragedy of the sockeye salmon" should surely contain a lesson for the men who should direct the industrial destiny of Canada. The Provincial Department of Fisheries has recommended to the Dominion Minister of Marine and Fisheries that sockeye salmon fishing upon the Fraser River and in contiguous waters shall be prohibited for the space of a quarter of a century. The note accompanying this recommendation refers to the value of the products of this industry ten years ago and contrasts it with the fact that practically no fish have ascended the river to the spawning beds this year.

A valuable industry is extinguished for the time being, if not for all time, because of the greed of men. The Canadian companies engaged in the business of canning salmon are not to blame for this. They are willing to accept any measures the official departments might suggest or adopt for conservation of the fish. The federal authorities of the United States were willing to assist the officials of Canada in protecting the industry from extinction. But the government of the State of Washington, too eager to retain or obtain the votes of the companies engaged in trap fishing and too weak to resist their importunities, would not join in protective measures. The fishermen over there were determined to take all the fish they could so long as a fish ran.

We are told that what has happened all along the American Coast from California to Puget Sound is going to happen in Alaska. The Federal Government of the United States, however, is in control up there. There is no state government to circumvent protective measures and the northern salmon fisheries may be rescued from rapacious exploiters.

AMERICAN LANGUAGE

A friend of The Colonist has sent us a clipping from an American newspaper which contains a very interesting announcement. We have forgotten the name of the publication in question, but we believe it has not a continental-wide circulation, and probably its opinions are not of very great importance; but in an editorial it draws attention to a fact which is not generally known, that there is a movement in the United States to abolish the use of English in that country, if not to obliterate it entirely. It says bills have been introduced during the past year in various state legislatures which would make the official language of the United States "American" instead of "English."

Then the editor proceeds to state his position. "Those bills deserve our support, for they ask us to give a true name to the language we speak, which differs widely from the vernacular of Liverpool or London. If we pick up a newspaper published in England we will find that we are very widely separated in tongue from our 'Mother Country,' which has supplied but a very small proportion of our new words for the last few decades. Let us cast 'English' in the scrap heap with the 'Dark Ages,' and so on."

There doubtless is a modicum of truth in the observations of this new emancipator and liberator. There is a great difference between the language spoken in certain parts of London and Liverpool and the speech of Americans; but we are not sure that for graces of style or purity of diction the average American possesses any advantages over his disparaged brother. A considerable number of American writers have gained renown in the world of letters. Washington Irving was an absolute master of the English language, and in his later works Mark Twain wrote faultless English. Is the memory of those great men also to be abolished because their immortal works contain none of the new words recently coined in the United States for the adornment and improvement of the English language, thus converting it into a language which must be known in the future as "American?"

As for the English printed in the newspapers of Great Britain and America, we are constant readers of the chief publications of the two countries, and we have never noticed a great deal of difference in the language used by the editors.

However, probably there is no real danger of the bright flame of the English language being snuffed out even if all the state legislatures of the United States should decide to change its name. Our neighbors have a keen sense of humor, and can laugh heartily at anything that is sublimely ridiculous. If the "proposition" which is said to be before many legislatures were proposed in the Congress of the United States, it probably would be received with jeers

and laughter by a considerable majority of the representatives there assembled.

TERRIBLE POSSIBILITIES

We believe it was Ajax or some other mythological person who defied the lightning. That bold hero did not know much about the properties of lightning, which is concentrated electricity, or he would not have been so bold. As a matter of fact, not very much is known about the properties of electricity today. We know something of its powers and we have discovered many ways of applying those mysterious powers to useful purposes. Some persons claim, and possibly they are in a position to substantiate that claim, that all animated nature is made up of minute particles of electricity; that an atom is a miniature world, in constant action like the other great worlds whirling through infinite space, and that the human body in essence is nothing but a small mass of compact atoms. We shall let the matter go at that. The subject is interesting, but we know nothing about it, and probably that is as much as the learned persons referred to know about it.

The point of the matter under consideration is that there are some persons who profess to know so much about electricity that they are talking about the construction of electrical instruments of destruction that will force all other instruments of warfare into the scrap heap. In a word, they are going to kill men by striking them with lightning, even though the prospective victims of science may be hundreds of miles away from the point of discharge. We shall not say that such things cannot be done. Many things have been done that seemed impossible of accomplishment even a very few years ago. Perhaps a time may come when man may develop such powers of destruction that even the existence of the earth itself may be in peril. There are some people at the present day who would delightfully exercise such powers if they possessed them.

EXTRAORDINARY PROPOSAL

Wheat growers of the Western States know what they want, and they are determined to get it. Their wants are by no means modest, either. They are going to ask the President to take measures for the marketing of their wheat. They want a commission appointed to sell all wheat available for export at current prices, which is thirty cents a bushel. They further want the tariff increased to forty-five cents a bushel, which would give them an additional fifteen cents a bushel. That is equivalent to requesting that all the people of the United States shall be taxed to enable the farmers to obtain an artificial price for their wheat. Thus we are about to behold an interesting experiment in economics. We do not see how the experiment can be successful, but votes are important to the Republican Party on the eve of a presidential election, and the experiment may be tried. Many extraordinary measures have been taken to protect the industries of the United States from external competition, but no such extraordinary suggestion as that of the farmers has yet been made.

The duty of thirty cents a bushel upon wheat was frankly designed for the exclusion of Canadian wheat. Official returns from Ottawa indicate that the measure did not altogether fail to do what was expected of it, but still the millers of Minneapolis must mix with their own grain for the production of the best kind of flour. Now a duty of forty-five cents a bushel is proposed. It also will fail of its purpose, but perhaps the amount collected in duties upon our wheat will be applied to payment of the artificial price demanded by the farmers of the United States.

Mr. Lloyd George believes that if there were only a nominal understanding between Great Britain and the United States with reference to maintaining peace in the world that much-desired consummation would be assured. Possibly Mr. Lloyd George is right in his judgment. At any rate it would be interesting to see the experiment given a trial. But we observe almost every day in the newspapers of the United States a solemn warning to the government against taking even a nominal part in any movement with the object of securing an adjustment of the ragged affairs of Europe. It will be an exceedingly difficult matter to change that sentiment. If the ex-Premier of Great Britain can change that point of view he will have achieved something that is even more to his credit than his part in winning the war.

The hand of death has been laid upon a number of well-known residents of Victoria and vicinity during the last few months. Mrs. Mary J. Pigott, who has just crossed over after a long and useful life, was a native of England, but had resided in this city for many years and had made many friends, who will join with The Colonist in sincere expressions of sympathy for the bereaved family.

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Readers of Carlyle's greatest book, The French Revolution, will remember and turn again to that heart-moving passage in which he describes the parting of the condemned king from his family. "And so our meetings and our partings do now end." There is nothing more eloquent in all that wonderful book, and nothing more simple and true and memorable. Louis is going to a felon's death. The last of a long line of princes is to pay a shameful price for the unexpiated wrongs of his fathers; and the genius of the man who saw him in that last pass only as a fellow man invests him with a sudden and inviolable dignity, which no doom can encompass, and which no Capet of them all had ever attained.

It is not for nothing that the English tongue contains no exact equivalent for the French "au revoir." There are only two words in the language which express the leaving taking of friend from friend; and both of them are full of that reticent and tender poetry which is enshrined in the common idiom of English speech. "Good-bye" is "God bless you," and "farewell" is "fare thee well." When these words are said between friends, the last thought of each is for the other. There is a virtue in these simple words which informs the speech of common men with wisdom, and makes it luminous with a light which shone "or ever the morning stars sang together."

Nor is it strange, if you think for a moment of it, that men use the same form of language when they part for a little while as when they take leave forever. This is not poverty of language; it is the deep and vital instinct of our race. There is the unspoken recognition that life is held on the sufferance of implacable Destiny; and there is not less the everlasting fortitude of man which defeats the victory of Death. It is as if men would remind themselves, as they shake hands at parting: "Let not him that girdeth on his harness boast himself as he that putteth it off."

There is something cheerful and reassuring in these unexpected depths beneath the calm surface of our commonest forms of speech. Scatch these words and they bleed. They are memorials of an experience common to all men in all times. They contain the hint that men of this time can know no more of some things than men have always known; and they carry the eternal promise—which would not be true somehow if friend could not repeat it to friend in the usages of daily salutation—that what has always been shall not cease to be. Whether it be said or not, when friends bid each other farewell they mean always "till we meet again."

There are times, too, when the phrases "common in our mouths as household words" are so pregnant with meaning that they dare not be uttered. It was so at the front in the Great War. Friends who met by chance in that vast hurly-burly of the living and the dead did not say good-bye to each other when they parted. They said "so long!" It was easier to say than the other. It was in the humor of that light-heartedness which men assumed as a mask, not so much to hide their true faces from their comrades as to avoid any appearance which might weaken the fibre of another's endurance. It is not generally nor sufficiently known with what delicacy the men who went on that business respected the inarticulate confidences of their fellow soldiers.

That was a time when those who went and came in the traffic of war found it wholesome to lower a veil of trivialities between themselves and the face of that awful business. At the last smoke before the zero hour it was not to be forgotten that three cigarettes must not be lit from the same match. Anything might serve for a lucky charm, from a button to a girl's picture. No shell of all that baggage could get you unless it had your number on it. Kismet was lord of the recking earth and the barren sky. "Let us not say goodbye," said mother to son, when the leave train was ready to pull out from Victoria Station, "let us say cheerio!" It defines all the difference that the partings of that time have made to this generation that it is still unnecessary to explain these things. When we count the gaps that the war has left in our ranks, it seems to us that there is a significance more poignant than of old in the common usages of good-bye and farewell.

You will bear with us, O patient reader, for that we have wandered a little from a track which seemed at the outset to lead so plainly along the level and peaceful fields of Sunday talk together. We are not unconscious that the most casual mention of the Great War is apt to invoke memories which are those indeed of "of calling shapes and beckoning shadows." It is so and it cannot be otherwise for those who went with imagination on that great adventure, and have returned to a stranger peace; and who, if they are charged by ancient and enduring pride to pluck from the memory a "rooted sorrow," are fain to salute those shadows with the old password among mortal men: Hail and Farewell!

Poems That Endure

Remember all the poems that do the hidden work of harmony.
—John Milton.

THE ANGLER'S WISH
I in these flowery meads would be,
To whose harmonious hums I tune
My voice, and sing the turtle-dove
Court his mate to the scale of love;
Or, on the bank, feel the cool wind
To my sweet dwelling kiss these flowers;
Here, hear my kins and a mossy
There, see a blackbird feed her young.
Or, a heron build her nest;
Here, give my weary spirit rest,
And raise my lowly thoughts above
Earth, or what poor mortals live.
Thus, free from lawsuits, and the noise
Of princes' courts, I would rejoice.
Or, with my Ryan and a book,
Linger long days near Shawford brook;
There see the sun both rise and set;
There sit and read my favorite text;
There meditate my time away;
And sing and sleep all the long day;
A quiet passage to a welcome grave.
—Isaac Walton.

Vignettes From O. HENRY

Little Stories by a Great Story-Teller

EXPENSIVE VELOCITY

A Houston man who attended a great many of the services of Sam Jones, the evangelist, was particularly impressed with his denunciation of prevaricators and liars of all kinds, white, variegated and black.

So strongly was he affected and in such fertile ground did the seed sown by the great evangelist fall, that the Houston man, who had been accustomed to occasionally evade the truth, determined one morning he would turn over a new leaf and tell the truth in all things, big and little. So he commenced the day by according to speak even a word that did not follow the exact truth for a model.

At breakfast his wife said: "How are the biscuits, Henry?" "Hathen are the biscuits," he answered, "and about half done."

His wife frowned out of the dining-room and he ate breakfast with the children. Ordinarily Henry would have said, "they are done, very good, dear," and all would have been well. As he went out the gate his rich old aunt with whom he had always been a favorite, drove up. She was curried, and laden and powdered to look as young as possible.

"Oh, Henry," she simpered, "how are Ella and the children? I would come in, but I'm looking such a fright today I'm not fit to be seen."

"Yes," said Henry, "you do. It's a good thing your horse has a blind bridle on, for if he got a sight of you he'd run away and break your neck."

His aunt glanced icily at him and drove away without saying a word.

Henry figured it out afterward and found that every word he said to her cost him \$8,000.

Itallism
"The world is a stage," said the modern young man.

"I'll marry the best that I can. You may not know it, but I do—lovers that kiss, so you give me the property man."

If It Could Speak
They were taking a stroll, last evening down by the bayou. She was sentimental and he was the opposite. She slumped down into the murky depths of the water and said:

"If this bayou could speak, what tales it could tell! Since it has ebbed and flowed within its deep-worn banks what a variety of shifting scenes, what panoramas of war, pestilence, love and conflicting passions have transpired within sight and sound of its waters! Ah, if it could only speak!"

"If it could," said the young man, holding his nose with his handkerchief, "I bet a dollar it would speak of the dead languages."

By the Way—

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ONE of the most remarkable islands in the world is Patmos, where St. John wrote the Book of Revelation. It was always the deathly, dreary, and dreary of the island, and in the old days the rich man who of churches wished to expiate his sins usually did so by building a church in the ruins of the island contains the ruins of no fewer than 300 churches. As there are only 700 houses on the island, there is almost a church for each two families.

The people are Greeks, whose only occupation is sponge-fishing, though there used to be a trade in the manufacture of stockings.

Curiously enough, though the island lies quite close to Turkey, there has never at any time been a mosque upon it.

ALGERINE HITS
ROCK IN NORTH

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Called at Swanton Bay
Principle Channel is between Banks Island and Pitt Island, the latter being itself separated from the Mainland of British Columbia by Grenville Island. It is north of Swanton Bay and south of Prince Rupert, being about midway between the two. The Algerine had called at Swanton Bay, and had then taken Principle Channel, whence she would have steamed into and across Hecla Strait to the Queen Charlotte Islands, when she struck.

The ship is manned by a crew of thirty-nine men, including officers. Most of them signed on at short notice when the vessel made preparations to go to the aid of the Kennebec. In his first message after striking, Captain J. M. Hewison, master of the steamer, was mindful of the fears that would be aroused locally as to the safety of the personnel of the ship, and was emphatic in his assurances that no danger existed for them.

The salvage company plans to have the Hercules proceed to the Kennebec as soon as possible after she has reached the Algerine, and begin whatever work is possible on the American ship. Meanwhile the company's third vessel, the Salvor, will stand by as usual at Victoria, fully manned and equipped, in case of further marine mishaps.

MANY ARISTOCRATS OF DOGDOM SHOWN

Ninety-seven Show of Kennel Club Is Featured by Long List of Competitors

The first of this season's dog shows of the Victoria City Kennel Club, held at McElroy's Auction Rooms last night, the Graham-Graham Cup for the best puppy in the show was won by R. Eastham's Broomfield Challenger. Twenty-seven different breeds were represented at the show, and the following is a list of the winners in the various classes:

Alredale—Puppy dogs, Mr. McNeill's Seaton Dush; puppy bitch, Mr. McNeill's Seaton Lady; open dogs, Mr. Wolfenden's Peter; open bitches, Mr. Wilkerson's Warfield Vic.

Fulldogs—Open dogs, Mr. Carmichael's Pacific White Rascal; open bitches, Miss Axon's Lady Beth.

Hosons—Puppy dogs, Mr. Pritchett's Hi-Born Full-o'-Pop; puppy bitches, Mr. McVicker's Tawilde Joy-June; open dogs, Mr. McVicker's Peter's Tiny Queen. Mr. Salt's Magnus; open dogs, Miss Solander's Laddie.

Cocker Spaniels—Puppy dogs, Mr. Smith's Myrtle Prince; puppy bitches, Mr. Grenada's Lottie; open dogs, Mr. Burton's Lady Nell.

Wire-Haired Terriers—Puppy dogs, Mrs. Keay's Lord Rentfrew; puppy bitches, Mr. Morris's Yorkshire Lass; open dogs, Mr. Dodd's Duke of York; open bitches, Mr. Foulis's Jenny Goggles.

Smooth Fox Terriers—Puppy dogs, Mr. Merritt's Yorkshire Lad; open bitches, Mr. Merritt's Temperance Girl.

Irish Terriers—Puppy dogs, Mr. Milliken's Inver Patriot; puppy bitches, Mr. Wallis's Blycroft Sheelagh; open dogs, Mr. Milliken's Inver Patriot.

Scottish Terriers—Puppy dogs, Mr. McVicker's Tawilde Sheena; open dogs, Mr. Graham-Graham's Albion Laird; open bitches, Mr. Graham-Graham's Albion Lassie.

West Highland White Terriers—Puppy dogs, Miss Wilson's Retay Jane; open bitches, Mr. Mann's White Lassie.

Black Pomeranians—Puppy dogs, Mr. Taylor's Bingo; open bitches, Mr. Walker's Bubbles.

Bleu Pomeranians—Puppy dogs, Mrs. Tooby's Tiny; open dogs, Mrs. Orrick's Pom-Pom; open bitches, Mrs. Orrick's Seald West.

Pekingese—Puppy dogs, Mrs. McCoy's Wini Choo; puppy bitches, Mrs. Castle's Ruby of Shantung; open dogs, Mrs. McCoy's Sutherland Avenue Mitz; open bitches, Mrs. Castle's Belle of Lakeland.

Spitz—Open dogs, Mr. Hilton's Snowball; open bitches, Mr. Hilton's Queenie the Second.

Shelties—Open dogs, Miss Carr's Pinocchio; open bitches, Miss Carr's Fudge.

Japanese Spaniels—Captain Perry's Togo.

Maltese Terriers—Mr. Sharpe's Snooks.

Welsh Terriers—Mrs. Meredith's Ginger.

Sealyham Terriers—Miss Saunders's Blisful.

Bull Terriers—Mrs. Bolender's Emerald Experiment.

English Setters—Puppy dogs, Mr. Eastham's Broomfield Challenger; open bitches, Mr. Eastham's Rackets Belle.

Gordon Setters—Mr. Norris's Jessie.

Irish Setters—Miss Duke's Rufus of Kenmare.

Pointers—Mr. Perkins's Sancha.

Retrievers—Open dogs, Mr. Rickford's Nellie; open dogs, Mr. Rickford's Puck.

Springer Spaniels—Puppy dogs, Mr. Meredith's Col. Victor; puppy bitches, Mr. Westham's Bessie; open bitches, Miss Penzer's Peggy.

Specials
Best Puppy in the Show—Mr. Eastham's Broomfield Challenger.
Best Sporting Dog—Mr. Hickford's Puck.
Best Sporting Puppy—Mr. Eastham's Broomfield Challenger.
Best Non-Sporting Dog—Mr. Carmichael's Pacific White Rascal.
Best Non-Sporting Puppy—Mrs. Tooby's Baby Buffy.
Best Terrier—Mr. Rasmussen's Craiglands Heatherbloom.
Best Terrier Puppy—Mr. Meredith's Ginger.
Best Toy Dog—Sutherland Avenue Mitz.
Best Toy Puppy—Mrs. Tooby's Baby Buffy.
Best Female Puppy—Mrs. Salt's Betty.
Best Novice Toy—Mrs. Tooby's Baby Buffy.
Best Member's Terrier—Mr. Rasmussen's Craiglands Heatherbloom.

ART EXHIBITION TO BE THIS MONTH

Annual Display of Paintings to Be Held at Hudson's Bay Company's Beginning October 23

The fourteenth annual exhibition of paintings, drawings, designs and crafts to be held in the private dining-room of the Hudson's Bay Company building from Tuesday, October 23, to Tuesday, October 30, under the auspices of the Island Arts and Crafts Society, promises to be of unusual interest this year, as many inquiries are being received from prospective exhibitors and many promises are being given by exhibitors to send in their best efforts to the particular section they are most interested in.

Through the kindness of the local manager, Mr. E. J. Watson, the Hudson's Bay Company has given the society much help and advice which is deeply appreciated by the members of the society. Arrangements have been made whereby a prominent local businessman who is deeply interested in the work of the society will open the exhibition to the public at 3 o'clock in the afternoon on October 23, and a special afternoon tea will be served in the spacious dining-room of the Hudson's Bay Company building during the time the exhibition is in progress.

Exhibitors are reminded that all exhibits must be sent in on Thursday, October 18, to the Hudson's Bay Building, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m., and taken to the private dining-room, where they will be received by the convenor in charge. Any further information regarding the exhibition will be gratefully given by the secretary of the society at 201 Union Bank Building, or phone 1470.



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YOUNGSTERS ENJOY SPENCER'S TREAT

Ten Thousand Ice Cream Cones Were Served by Local Firm to Victoria Boys and Girls Yesterday

"Kids! Let's go out and come back the other way and get another cone!" This was one variation of the many devices which youngsters hit upon yesterday to repeat the joy of devouring ice cream and luscious as the guests of Messrs. David Spencer, Limited. Mr. David Spencer—"Genial Dave" in a very particular way up this very special day of his long week as host to Victoria, grown-ups and small folk alike—was the presiding genius in charge of the dispensation of the succulent delicacy which the children of the city were invited to enjoy at the firm's expense yesterday. Mr. Spencer was not intended to overbear such little whippersnappers as the foregoing, but he is a tall gentleman, and there is little that escapes his eye or ear. Moreover, in their eagerness many of the youthful plotters failed to observe their host nearby. But, in any event, it didn't matter; he was infinitely sympathetic and understanding. "We were all kids ourselves once. Let 'em have all they want, and if the ice cream gives out we'll send for more." That was his beaming comment.

Ten thousand cones was the actual number dispensed during the day. Seven thousand bags of biscuits went the same way. Children of every age from the A-B-C of walking up to fifteen and sixteen packed the queues which formed up outside the four entrances. Two policemen were on duty outside each door to keep the line from encroaching too much on the avenue of street traffic, and members of the staff inside were specially assigned to the task of keeping the procession in some kind of orderly formation, so that the smallest folk would have equal opportunity with the bigger boys and girls. The arrangements were admirable.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of October 14, 1873)
A Light Fall in Ocean Fifty Years Ago—Portland, Oct. 13.—The vote in all parts of the state was unusually light. In Portland and in East Portland the total number of votes cast was 1,411, a falling off of nearly 200. Smith's majority is nearly 400. Reports from the principal towns give Smith a majority of 114. The estimated majority in the state for Smith is one thousand.

Some Real Estate Transactions—Yesterday Mr. Humphreys, auctioneer, disposed of the farm on Thompson River to J. P. Pihlstrom for \$700, the lease of Wren's slaughter house for \$100, and Lot 149 View Street, for \$200.

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and Mr. David Spencer was the soul of fun and good humor throughout, apparently enjoying the role of entertainer. Assisting him were Messrs. Laver and Campbell, although ten girls were specially engaged for the day to dole out the delectable ice cream.

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Captain Goodlake Returns—Captain T. J. Goodlake, of Goodlake & Webb, returned yesterday from attending the fifteenth annual convention of the Washington Savings and Loan League, which was held in Seattle on Thursday and Friday last. Captain Goodlake was present at the gathering as the representative of the British Pacific Investment and Loan Society.



A Group of Little Refugee Children From the Yokohama Disaster, to Whom the Red Cross Has Brought Health and Happiness. Taken at the Quarantine Station With Doctor Brown, the Superintendent, and Showing the First Class, Where the Refugees Were Housed, in the Background.

City and District

Tax Sale Figures—Up to date, 53 parcels have been sold at the city tax sale, resulting in receipts totalling \$20,155.76. The sale will continue tomorrow.

Dance Postponed—The staff and pupils of St. George's School wish to let their friends know that the Halloween dance for which invitations had been sent out, is postponed until the end of the term.

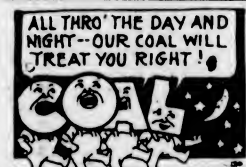
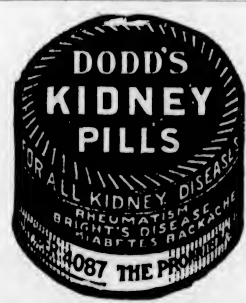
Cabaret Has Reopened—Mr. R. Bouch has reopened his Saturday cabaret in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium. There has been a good attendance, both last night and the Saturday previous, and Mr. Bouch is looking to a season of very successful evenings.

Vernon Boys Win—The Lieutenant-Governor's shield for troop proficiency which is annually competed for by the Scouts of British Columbia, has been awarded to the 1st Vernon Troop of Boy Scouts. A suitable presentation of this coveted trophy will be made in the near future.

Equimatt Meeting—A public meeting of Equimatt residents will be held tomorrow night, at 8 o'clock, in the Sailors' Club, when the new Equimatt war memorial scheme will be discussed. All Equimatt citizens are invited to attend and air their views on the matter.

Arrest Gamblers—Thirteen Chinamen, taken in a raid made late Saturday night by members of the city police department, in quarters on the second story of 1534 Government Street, will appear in police court Monday morning charged with being inmates of a common gaming house. They were given their liberty Saturday night on depositing \$50 bail each.

Wills Probated—The following probates were issued through the Supreme Court last week: Mr. William John Savory, who died in Victoria, on September 1, leaving an estate valued at \$17,747; Mr. Arthur Pressey, who died at Duncan on August 28, estate, \$1,700; Mrs. Mary E. Bennett, late of St. Louis, Mo., who died in Los Angeles.



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ies on February 28, 1923, British Columbia estate, \$1,000.

Remains Identified—Up to last night identification of the remains of an unknown man, which were found floating in Fisher Bay last Tuesday, and which were brought to the McColl Funeral Establishment, Victoria, had not been made. Descriptions of the deceased have been sent by the Provincial Police Department to various centres on Vancouver Island and the Mainland, but no results have been obtained. Yesterday a stranger called at the morgue and viewed the body, thinking it might have been that of his brother who has been missing since October 1, he said. There was no resemblance, however.

Juveniles Entertained—Court Liberty, A.O.P., held its monthly meeting on Friday evening. After the initiation of new members and the usual business over, two hundred and fifty members were entertained by Court Northern Light. The following artists contributed to the evening's programme: Song, Mrs. Gaiger; violin and pianoforte duet, the Misses Bland; song, Miss Gaiger; song, Bro. A. Welsh; pianoforte selection, Bro. T. Larnian. A three-round boxing exhibition was given by the dustweight champions Alby and Jumbo Davies, which was very much enjoyed. A special effort will be made by the juveniles to increase their membership to three hundred and fifty at the close of the present year.

North Dairy P.T.A.—The regular monthly meeting of the North Dairy Parent-Teachers' Association was held on Thursday evening at the residence of Mrs. Sprague, McKenzie Avenue. Election of officers for the ensuing year was postponed until a later meeting, in the hope of securing a larger attendance. It was decided to hold a pumpkin pie Halloween social in the school on Friday evening, October 26. A short programme will be arranged, with games for the children, the proceeds to go to the Christmas tree fund. It was also resolved that all parents in the district be asked to look over any old books they may have, with a view to presenting the school library with any suitable volumes they are able to spare. A very welcome addition to the library was secured in this way last year, and it is felt that this could easily be repeated with no hardship to anyone.

Enjoyable Evening—After the usual business of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society had been transacted on Wednesday last, President D. W. Gyle gave up his chair to Bro. W. C. Henderson, who conducted a "hot" night in a very creditable manner. Each member picked an unknown subject from the hat and had to speak for five minutes. As luck would have it, the Rev. Dr. Campbell picked subject No. 1, "The Aims and Objects of Our Society," and was not allowed to sit down for nearly twenty minutes, being applauded again and again. Fourteen others spoke, and owing to the lateness of the hour, Bro. Henderson had to call a halt. Refreshments were served at 10:30, after which a few dances took place, with accompaniment on the piano by Sister Brena Wallace. Seventy-three members were present, and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

THE WEATHER

Metropolitan Office, Victoria, B.C., at 5 p.m., October 13, 1923.

The barometer is falling on the Northern Coast, and unsettled weather is spreading southward. Light frosts have been general on the Fraser.

	Min.	Max.
Vancouver	49	67
Seattle	44	64
Portland	44	64
San Francisco	44	64
Albany	44	64
Denver	44	64
Chicago	44	64
Winnipeg	44	64
Edmonton	44	64
Calgary	44	64
Regina	44	64
Saskatoon	44	64
Weyburn	44	64
Swift Current	44	64
Yorkton	44	64
North Battleford	44	64
Estevan	44	64
Brookville	44	64
Regina	44	64
Saskatoon	44	64
Weyburn	44	64
Swift Current	44	64
Yorkton	44	64
North Battleford	44	64
Estevan	44	64
Brookville	44	64

Maximum.....49
Minimum.....44
Average.....46
Bright sunshine.....4 hours 24 minutes
General state of the weather, cloudy

CLOSE SEASON PLAN MEETS OPPOSITION

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The Game Board is now said to be considering a plan to refuse trapping licences to aliens, which would mean the elimination of about one thousand licences, according to one estimate. This would help considerably in bringing about the result aimed at, namely, a substantially decrease in the slaughter of fur-bearing animals.

The Game Board and Provincial Government are reported to have changed their views during the last few weeks on the subject of Game Board reorganization, and while certain amendments to the legislation governing the operations of that board are sure to be dealt with at the next session of the Legislature, the proposal to divorce the Game Board from the Provincial Police, making it a separate department, has been abandoned.

There is now a new spirit in the administration of the Provincial Police that is decidedly friendly and sympathetic towards the Game Board. Mr. Jackson told The Colonist: "There is no antagonism and no longer an inclination to subordinate Game Board affairs to other matters dealt with by the police administration. In view of this change in conditions reorganization of the board such as originally proposed would not be justified on the grounds of economy."

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual general meeting of the Victoria Liberal-Conservative Association will be held on Tuesday, October 23, in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, Arcade Building. Election of officers will take place, and a programme of addresses and other features is being arranged for the occasion. The meeting will commence at eight o'clock.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Electric Washing Compound adds lustre to lingerie. Phone 651172.

Dr. Howard Miller has resumed his practice at 214 Campbell Building.

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Regular monthly meeting of Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., at headquarters, Tuesday, at 8 p.m.

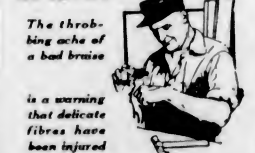
The Popular Auditorium Cabaret, Chamber of Commerce Building, is now open for the season, and operating every Saturday evening.

Queen City Chapter, No. 5, O.E.S., will hold a bazaar on Saturday, Nov. 3. Location to be announced at a later date.

Mrs. Simpson announces opening of evening classes on Wednesday at St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay; Thursday at Seamen's Institute, James Bay; dancing studio, 619 Niagara Street.

Entre Nous Club's Weekly Dance, Chamber of Commerce Auditorium, Wednesday, October 17th, 8:45 to 11:30. Invitations from 320 Pemberton Building. Ladies, 25c; Gent, 50c. Ray Kinloch's Dance Orchestra.

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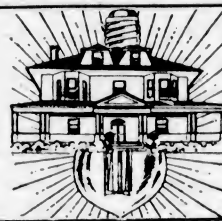
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With fitted shoulder straps, short or elbow sleeves, plain or finished with lace edging, slip-over or button front. Sizes 34 to extra large sizes. Price.....

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Women's Pure Wool Vests

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Social Events

Miscellaneous Shower

On Thursday night, at the home of Mrs. C. Crawford, 1215 Johnson Street, a miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Miss Jean Hendry, a former employee of Terry's drug store, Fort Street. The rooms were a profusion of Autumn flowers in the color scheme of pink. The gifts, contained in a huge rose, were presented by Miss H. Gill. A buffet supper was served by Mrs. Crawford, assisted by Mrs. H. Dyer. This being followed by music and dancing. The following guests were present: Mrs. Hendry, Mrs. Dyer, Mrs. Crawford, Miss J. Hendry, Miss H. Gill, Miss N. Dutton, Miss M. McNeill, Miss M. Roworth, Miss M. Phillips, Misses Ina and Madge Hendry, Miss J. McGee, Misses E. and D. Bowcott, Miss K. Thomas, Miss E. Oddy, Miss G. Stewart, Miss M. Robertson, Miss M. Stevens, Mrs. Seaton, Miss N. Simister and Miss A. Crawford, Messrs. J. Forsythe, H. Knott, W. Ayton, J. Oddy, B. Gough and H. Crawford.



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Miss Joan Witty, of 1231 Pandora Avenue, was very agreeably surprised on Friday evening, when a few of her friends called on her. Dancing was the main feature of a very enjoyable evening, and after a delightful buffet supper, where the punch bowl held the place of honor, the guests continued to trip the hours away. The double reception-room was thrown into one, and looked charming with golden chrysanthemums and Michaelmas daisies. Among those present were the Misses Mabelle and Marie Hopkins, Sara Singer, Kathleen McLaren, Helen Hardiman, Gladys Lord, Elenore Dinahale, Ellen Dodd, Ruth Richards, Francis Smith, Mollie Hartley, and Messrs. Eric McConnell, Art Zwick, Alec Walker, Stuart Henderson, Ernie Harris, Tom Horne, Paul Brooker, Dimery Johnson, Walter Griffith, Dave Armstrong, Douglas Robertson, Monty Dunsmuir and Sid Westendale.

Announces Engagement

Mrs. Fred Bellby announces the engagement of her daughter, Dorothy, to Guy Trevor Ferrabee, son of the late Mr. John F. Ferrabee, of Gloucestershire, England, and Mrs. Ferrabee, 122 South Turner Street. Mrs. Bellby and her daughter are leaving for Los Angeles this morning where they will reside with relatives. The wedding will follow in a few months, when the wedding will take place. A farewell party and a shower was given last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allwood, Oak Bay, at which a number of the intimate friends assembled to bid farewell to Mrs. and Miss Bellby, who wish to take this opportunity of saying good-bye to their many friends and acquaintances in Victoria.

Engagement Announced

An event of interest to her Victoria friends was the announcement on October 6 of the engagement of Nyma Mabel Foulkes and Mr. Albert Adams.

Hayden, a prominent young business man of Portland, Ore. The pleasant man was told at a tea given at the residence of Mrs. Martin Turner, and was announced in a most novel manner. Just previous to tea being served there was brought into the room a large box, out of which, when the lid was raised, emerged little Patty Turner, dressed as a cupid and carrying a quiver full of announcement cards which she passed to each one present. The reception rooms were beautifully decorated with pink roses and blue delphinium.

Leaves for California

Miss Eva Hancock, who leaves for California today, was the guest of honor at a farewell party at the home of Mrs. W. T. Bridge on Friday evening last. A most delightful time was spent till a late hour, Miss Jessie Smith presiding at the piano, while vocal solos by Miss Stella James and Miss Ellen Bridge, recitations by Miss Eva Hancock and games formed the pleasant programme. Among those who had come to wish bon voyage and a safe return to Miss Hancock were the Misses Nellie Cameron, Stella James, Gladys Paret, Vay Hazel Cole, Mackay, Carlyle, Alice Brown, Robertson, Mollie Wright, Jessie Smith, Roberts, Ellen Bridge and Mrs. McNair.

Hostesses at Linen Shower

Misses Mrs. Law, Mrs. Brown and Miss Vanders were joint hostesses at an apron shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sander, Acton Street, last Friday night, under the auspices of Court Triumph, over forty guests enjoying music, cards and dancing. Mrs. Love sang very sweetly "Love's Old Sweet Song." A large variety of useful and novelty aprons towards the sale of work being held on November 7 were received, and cash donations from the brothers. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers of scarlet, gold and green, and the order, dainty refreshments and home-made candy were served.

Surprise Party Held

A surprise party in honor of Miss Marion Blackwood was held at her home, 421 Hillside Avenue, on Friday evening. A very enjoyable evening was spent in dancing, music and games. The guests were as follows: Misses Viola Jones, Dorothy Wakeham, Lila Schaefer, Thelma Foster, Lillian Coomber, Stella Stephens, Lydia Humber and Gertrude Hiras; and Messrs. Ray Jones, W. McAllister, D. Atkinson, E. Kelcey, Charles Taylor, Edward Luther, David Jones and W. Slater.

Leave for Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Beaumont have left Victoria where they will spend a few days on their way back to Cariboo, where Mr. Beaumont is the owner of a fine cattle ranch and is one of the oldest pioneers of the country, as well as being next in succession to one of the oldest baronetries in England.

Leaving for England

Mrs. J. H. Henderson, of Cook Street, is visiting Miss Tibbory, 1313 Vancouver Street, prior to her departure for England, where she will stay with her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. M. W. Henderson. During her absence she has rented her home to Mrs. Venables and family.

Makes Good Recovery. The many friends of Mr. P. A. Raynor, honorary secretary to the Navy League, will be pleased to hear that he is recovering successfully from an operation for appendicitis which he underwent yesterday morning at the Jubilee Hospital.

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Back in City

Mrs. Harry Langley and her little daughter, Lillian May, have arrived back from England, and have returned to their home at 1111 Leonard Street.

Here From Cowichan

Mrs. Allan Kennington and Miss Kennington, of Cowichan Station, have arrived in Victoria and are spending the week-end visiting Capt. and Mrs. Coombe, Verinder Avenue.

Leaving for South

Mrs. A. Kingsley and her son, Mr. Harry J. Kingsley, Shawinigan Lake, are leaving on the Ruth Alexander on a prolonged visit to Southern California.

On Visit to Duncan

Mr. Stewart Williams is spending the week-end in Duncan on a business trip, arranging details of Mr. H. W. Bevan's new Jersey sale.

Visiting in Nanaimo

Mrs. T. Mitchell is spending a few days with Mrs. A. Rowbottom, 423 Milton Street, Nanaimo.

PORT ALBERT

Removed to Vancouver Hospital
Mr. J. McDaniel, who was wounded in the shooting affray in September, and who has been under constant medical care since, was taken to the General Hospital in Vancouver on Saturday last owing to serious eye trouble. Having developed, and will be under the care of a specialist at that institution.

Lumber Inspector Leaves

Mr. F. A. Varsveld, inspector under the Pacific Lumber Inspection Bureau, who has been stationed at the Alberni Pacific Lumber Company plant for the past six months, is leaving for Vancouver tomorrow.

Fishes on Stamp River

Brigadier-General Noel Money, of Qualicum Beach, was a visitor in town for the past few days for some fishing at his camp, Stamp River.

Leaves for Vancouver

Mrs. T. Mitchell is spending a few days with Mrs. A. Rowbottom, 423 Milton Street, Nanaimo.

CUMBERLAND

Autumn Tea at Manse
An Autumn tea, which was exceptionally well attended, was held at the manse on Wednesday afternoon. The room was tastefully decorated for the occasion and presented a pretty appearance. Rev. James and Mrs. Hood received the guests, the tea tables being presided over by Mrs. Chas. Whyte and Mrs. R. L. Stevens. The proceeds will be devoted to the organ fund. During the afternoon songs were rendered by Mrs. W. Wood, Mrs. Ledingham and Mrs. Westover.

Hospital Executive
At a meeting of the executive committee of the B. C. Hospital Association, Dr. Geo. Ker MacNaughton, of Cumberland, was elected to the executive. Other members are Dr. Winch, of Hazelton; Dr. Bell and Dr. Burnett, of Vancouver; and Dr. Pearce, of Victoria.

Return to Town

Miss Hannah Harrison returned to town during the week, after spending the past three months in the Eastern and Southern States. During her stay across the line, Miss Harrison spent some time in Kentucky.

From Vancouver

Mr. Thomas Hickson, one of Cumberland's leading merchants, returned from Vancouver on Thursday evening, after spending a few days in the terminal city.

Attends Meeting
Dr. Geo. Ker MacNaughton left for Vancouver on Wednesday to attend an executive meeting of the B. C. Medical Association and returned on Thursday.

NANAIMO

Wedding

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Friday evening at the Presbyterian Manse by the Rev. D. Lister, when Miss Amelia Waggott, of Newcastle, England, was united in marriage to Mr. John William Thompson of this city. The bride wore a pretty costume of blue silk tricotette, and was attended by Miss Thompson, wearing a dress of blue silk. Mr. Robert Raffie performed the duties of best man. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold bracelet, to the bridesmaid a gold pendant, and to the best man a stick pin. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the groom's parents, Pine Street.

Shower for Bride-Elect

Friday evening, at the home of Mayor Busby, Kennedy Street, some forty young friends assembled on the occasion of a shower in honor of his daughter, Miss Clara, who is shortly to be married to Mr. C. W. Wall, of this city. The gathering was a merry one, and the bride-elect was the recipient of many valuable and pretty gifts.

Lodge Whist Drive

The ladies of the Orange Lily Lodge gave a pleasant whist drive on Friday night, the results of which were as follows: Ladies first, Mrs. Harris, second, Mrs. Neilson; third, Mrs. Lobley. Gentlemen, first, Mr. Robinson; second, Mr. Kilbey; third, Mr. Glohsey.

Winners of Prizes

The following persons were successful in winning prizes at the Pythian

Sisters' whist drive held last evening: Ladies, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. A. Sharp and Mrs. Freer. Gentlemen, Mr. Sharp, Mr. Hindmarch and Mr. Taylor.

SALT SPRING ISLAND

En Route to California
Miss M. Scott and Miss K. Allen, of Ganges, left on Saturday for Victoria to join the Ruth Alexander and sail on Sunday for Los Angeles, where they intend to take a short holiday and visit the former's brother, Major D. Scott.

Visits Daughter

Mrs. Price, of Salt Spring, left on Thursday for Thetis, where she will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Lay, for a week or so, and afterwards visit friends in Courtenay and Victoria.

From Vancouver

Miss Audrey Sutherland, of Vancouver, arrived on Monday at Ganges, where she is the guest of her relatives, Mr. and Dr. Sutherland until Tuesday.

Children's Dancing Class

A dancing class for children has been started and will be held every Friday by Miss Harris at her home in Ganges, where she is also giving private tuition.

Leaving for England

Miss M. Layard left on Saturday after a round of visits on the island. She will remain with her sister, Mrs. B. G. Jones, of Sidney, until she leaves for England on October 22.

Visits Mother

Miss Sambrone, who has been making her home on Salt Spring for several months, returned to Vancouver on Tuesday, where for some time she will visit her mother.

Harbor House Guests

Capt. Cope, Mr. R. Clifton, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Murray and Mr. May, inspector of schools, have registered as guests during the week at Harbor House.

Leaves Island

Miss McIlwain, of Vancouver, left the island on Saturday after a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lang, of North Salt Spring.

Matron Arrives

Miss Mawer, who has taken the position of matron at the Gulf Islands Hospital, Ganges, arrived from Victoria on Monday.

Hospital Patient

Mrs. T. P. Speed, of Ganges, is a patient at the Victoria private hospital, where she is recovering from a recent operation.

Leaves for California

Miss Freda Lang, who has been visiting her parents on the island, left on Saturday to sail by the Ruth Alexander for California on Sunday.

Return Home

After visiting the island for two weeks, Mr. and Mrs. R. Roberts returned home to Crescent Beach on Tuesday.

Aunt's Guest

Master Wymond Irving is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Pender, at Ganges, where he will spend a few months.

At Ganges

Miss Doris Taylor is a guest of Mrs. V. C. Best, of Ganges, until October 19.

WEDDINGS

Burrit-McMillan

An exceptionally pretty home wedding was celebrated on Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Donald McMillan, 1153 View Street, when their elder daughter, Mamie Winifred, became the bride of Mr. Allan Burrit, eldest son of Capt. and Mrs. J. C. Foote, 147 Ontario Street. The service was performed by Rev. W. P. Freeman, of the First Baptist Church, of which the principals are active members. Mrs. O. M. Brown played the Wedding March. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Malcolm McMillan, wore a handsome gown of tete de negre Canton crepe, with hat en suite, and corsage bouquet, and was attended by her sister, Miss Florence McMillan, in a heavily beaded dress of russet brown. Dr. Samuel Youden acted as groomsmen. After the ceremony a reception was held, which was attended by many friends of the bride.

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and groom. Mrs. W. H. Dinmore and Mrs. W. Russell presided at the tea table, and the Misses Beale and Edna Middleton, Maybelle Edgar, Kathleen and Evelyn Johnson assisted in serving refreshments. Later the bridal couple left on their honeymoon trip, and on their return will reside at Cordova Bay. Among the visiting guests for the ceremony were Mrs. G. W. Milne, of Seattle, and Mrs. S. Young, of Leithbridge, intimate friends of the bride.

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THE SPORTING WORLD

YANKEE BATTLESHIP SINKS GIANT CRUISER

Powerful Bombardment in Second Attack by Huggins' Crew Gives Babino's Companions Fourth Battle of the Series—Giants Start Too Late to Overcome Lead

Five of McGraw's Hurlers Undergo Baptism of Fire

World Series Figures			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Yankees	2	2	.500
Giants	2	2	.500

First Game—Giants, 5; Yankees, 4.
Second Game—Giants, 2; Yankees, 4.
Third Game—Giants, 1; Yankees, 0.
Fourth Game—Giants, 4; Yankees, 8.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The Yankee battleship cleared its deck for action today, unleashing the devastating fire of its broadsides and sank the Giant cruiser in the latter's own harbor, the Polo grounds, in the fourth and most sanguinary engagement of the epochal 1923 world series.

Another record gathering, a crowd of 46,000, that set a new high mark for the National League park, saw the Yankee gunners, aroused to their keenest fighting pitch, smash out a 4 to victory over the world's champions, and once more square the series score.

Each club now has two victories in this record shattering duel for the highest status baseball has ever known.

The heavy artillery of the Yankee "Murderers' Row" in all its primitive glory, clinched the game with a bombardment in the second inning that netted six runs and drove two of John McGraw's men, Jack Scott and Ross Ryan, to cover. Two more runs were hammered in before the momentum of this attack was spent, and the Giants saved themselves from complete rout with a last, desperate stand that resulted in four runs in the last two innings, and for a time threatened to assume menacing proportions. For seven innings Bob Shawkey, "Baller Bob," of the red flannel shirt, held the Giants at bay, baffled them at every turn with the aid of a brilliant supporting cast in which "Jumping Joe" Dugan was the star of stars.

Base hits of every calibre rattled, all corners of the field in the back of each team amassed 12 safe blows, but nine of the Yankees shots were bunched in three innings of scoring, while the Giant attack, except for the last two innings, was wasted in desultory firing. The Giants registered six hits in eight and the Yankees in seven of the nine innings, while all but three regulars, Dugan, Groh and Snyder, fastened their batting averages.

Ross Young, with three singles and a home run, led the Giant march, while Whitely Will, who set a new world's series record with a single and two doubles in three successive times at bat in the main successive innings, was the main howitzer in the Yankee's battery.

The "Big Bertha"—Babe Ruth and Casey Stengel, home run heroes of the first three games, were largely silenced by the intention pass method employed by both sides, but Babe managed to insert a two-base hit on his last turn at bat, while Stengel showed his hitting mood by lining out two singles. With a left hander in the box, Casey was withdrawn in the ninth in favor of Cunningham, and there was a bit of irony in the situation when the latter whiffed.

Five of his pitching guns were called into action by McGraw, and all underwent a baptism of fire except Virgil Barnes, who retired the Yankees in order in the ninth, striking out Schang and Penneck.

Jack Scott, comeback hero of the series of last year, came out in the game, with four hits in the third game, was McGraw's first choice today, but after escaping trouble in the first inning, he met his Waterloo in the second. Ryan, credited with the first triumph of the present struggle, essayed a rescue role, but he, too, was battered into subjection, and McGraw finally turned to the batter, McQuillan, who was under fire for two more innings, but lasted through the seventh, when he was removed in favor of a pinch hitter, the late, the great, who died in the eighth, but he also was withdrawn for a substitute batsman, and Barnes finished the game.

The story of the game lies in the second inning of the Yankees, for all after that was anti-climax. The team batted around, and Willy Pipp, who came back to play a brilliant all-round game after it was believed a fresh injury to his weakened right ankle had eliminated him from the rest of the fray, swung his club twice in the melee.

Giants' mischievous, played a prominent part in the total damage, although nothing could have checked the Yankee steam roller today. Scott contributed to his own downfall with an error, while Emil Meusel, Frank Snyder and Casey Stengel were guilty of erratic defensive work that did not show in the box score. All told, five hits, an error, a base on balls and a sacrifice figured in the rally.

The game by innings was as follows:

First Inning
Yankees—Witt singled past Bancroft. Dugan popped to Snyder, trying to bunt. Ruth fouled out. Bancroft took Meusel's grounder and touched second. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Second Inning
Yankees—Pipp singled over second base. Dugan popped to Snyder, trying to bunt. Ruth fouled out. Bancroft took Meusel's grounder and touched second. No runs, one hit, no errors.

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Eighth Inning
Yankees—Pipp singled over second base. Dugan popped to Snyder, trying to bunt. Ruth fouled out. Bancroft took Meusel's grounder and touched second. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Ninth Inning
Yankees—Pipp singled over second base. Dugan popped to Snyder, trying to bunt. Ruth fouled out. Bancroft took Meusel's grounder and touched second. No runs, one hit, no errors.

All Records Will Be Shattered Now

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The Polo Grounds, home of the New York Giants, held the greatest crowd in its history today for the fourth world's series game between the Giants and the Yankees.

The official paid attendance, 46,002, also was the third largest world's series crowd on record. It was eclipsed only by the opening game of the series and the Columbus Day game, both played in the Yankee stadium.

The official figures today were: Receipts, \$181,622. Advisory Council's share, \$27,243.30. Players' pool, \$92,627.22. Each club's share, \$30,875.74. Total figures for the four games: Attendance, 204,441. Receipts, \$723,104. Advisory Council's share, \$114,465.60. Players' pool (complete—players sharing in first four games only), \$362,743.00. Each club's share, \$123,927.69. It is now certain all records of attendance and receipts for any world's series baseball number of games will be shattered.

Pipp, Bancroft to Frisch. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Giants—Young beat out an infield hit. Meusel's grounder hopped over Scott's head, for a single. Young going to third. Stengel up. Young scored on Stengel's single to right and when Ruth threw to the grandstand Meusel sent third base runner to home. Young scored when Ward threw out Kelly at first. Stengel going to third. Stengel scored when Scott threw out Snyder at first. O'Connell batted for Jonnard. O'Connell was hit by a pitched ball. Bancroft singled into right. O'Connell halted at second. Groh walked, and the bases were cleared. Shawkey up. Taken from the box, and Penneck came in to pitch. Frisch fled out to Scott. Three runs, four hits, one error.

Ninth Inning

Yankees—Barnes went into the box for the Giants. Schang fanned. Groh threw out Scott. Penneck struck out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Giants—Young got a long hit into right field for a home run. Meusel up. Ward robbed Meusel. The Sons transferred to the other end, and Groh saved a dangerous centre. Shortly after the same player placed the ball beautifully in front of the goal for Merfield to score, which he did, after eighteen minutes' play.

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Sons of England and Veterans Lock Horns for Ninety Minutes, With One-Goal Draw as the Result—Moose Vanquish Equimult in Second Division—High School Wins Over Oaklands

First Division					
	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Victoria Wests	2	2	0	0	4
Veterans	2	1	0	1	3
Sons of England	3	1	1	1	3
Navy	3	0	3	0	0
Island Club	0	0	0	0	0

Second Division					
	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Moose	1	1	0	0	2
Princess Pats	1	1	0	0	2
Equimult	2	0	2	0	0

THE Victoria West Greenshirts jumped into first place in the local league soccer competition yesterday afternoon, by handing the Naval men a crushing blow by leaving them on the short end of a 7-0 score. The Veterans and Sons of England were engaged at the Royal Athletic Park in a strenuous conflict, neither side emerging victorious, the final score being a one-all draw. In the second division tilt, the Moose downed the Equimult soccerites by 4 goals to 2, while the junior game was won by the High School, which trimmed the Oaklands' representatives by 3 tallies to nil.

About five hundred fans watched the Veterans and Englishmen play ninety minutes to a one-goal draw. After both teams had been photographed, the game started off seven minutes late. The Vets won the toss, and the Sons kicked off with no advantage, but the ground was in poor condition owing to the length of the grass, which made good forward play impossible.

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The teams took the field as follows: Moose—Goal, Holman; full-backs, Gray and McIlroy; half-backs, Mooshin, Moulton and McCabe, forwards, G. Allan, Hole, H. Cummins, Eric Quinlan and Dunderdale.

Equimult—Goal, Miller; full-back, Carmichael; half-backs, Sherwood, Jones and Ruggles; forwards, Mesher, Bendall, Frampton and Rolston.

Oaklands Lose Match

The Victoria High School boys won the opening encounter in the Junior Football Association yesterday afternoon, when they decisively defeated the Oaklands team by a score of 3-0. But for the good work of the Oaklands' backs, the score would undoubtedly have been greater, for the High School kept up an almost constant pressure around their rivals' penalty area, which was only occasionally relieved by expeditions into their own danger zone.

Play was just a little ragged immediately after referee Ralph Alcock's opening whistle. In a short time, however, both teams settled down into their strides, and the High School began to attack vigorously. After about ten minutes, Thomas netted the first goal with a shot that Hogan, the Oaklands' goalie, had not the slightest chance to save. (About fifteen minutes later, Mercer added the second to the score with a shot from a melee right in the goal mouth. In the second half, Oaklands were more successful in staving off the attacks of their opponents, and only allowed one more goal from the toe of Bissell.

The teams were:

Oaklands—Forwards, Figgers, Armstrong, Taylor, Crowe, Heale, halves, Knight, Kay, Campbell; full-backs, McDonald and Essler; goal, Hogan. Victoria High School—Forwards, Bissell, Tyrrell, Tayler, Mercer, Thomas; halves, Peden, Charlton and Dawson; full-backs, McConnell, Kennedy; goal, Huxtable. Referee, Ralph Alcock.

Predicts Big Race Will Be Postponed

Mr. J. B. Joel, British Turf Man, Says Papyrus Will Be "Too Sore and Unfit to Run Against Zev Next Saturday"—Trainer of English Winner Brands Statement "All Popycock"

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Mr. J. B. Joel, well-known British turf man, predicted today before sailing for England that the \$100,000 international horse race scheduled for Belmont Park next Saturday, would have to be postponed or cancelled owing to Papyrus' condition. Papyrus is matched against Zev, American contender.

"Trainer Jarvis will find Papyrus sore and unfit to run by the middle of next week," Mr. Joel said, "and will probably have the race postponed or cancelled."

Mr. Joel, who offered \$200,000 for Papyrus after the St. Leger race last Fall, added that the animal was "a good horse, but not a real Derby winner." He asserted that cables showed that British racing circles were aware of Papyrus' bad condition.

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KING'S FOR FOOTWEAR

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Receives Judge's Award

SIOUX FALLS, S.D., Oct. 13.—Roscoe Hall, Des Moines lightweight, was awarded the referee's decision after ten slashing rounds over Kussip Leroy, of Fargo, N.D., in the main bout here last night.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Jack Bernstein, of Yonkers, N.Y., junior lightweight champion, won the decision over Rocky Kanase, of Buffalo, in fifteen rounds at Madison Square Garden last night.

GIVES SALMON THREE MORE YEARS AT BAY

Fisherman Claims That Unless Traps Are Restricted, Cowichan Water Will Have No "Springs"

Declaring that "unless something is done to restrict the working of the fish traps, inside of the next three years there will not be more Spring salmon to be found in Cowichan Bay," Mr. Andy Robertson, of that place, a veteran fisherman, writes to The Colonist on the question of "Why are there so few salmon today in Cowichan Bay as compared with two or three years ago?"

Mr. Robertson's letter reads as follows: "Dear Sir.—Judging by the number of times it has been put to me, the burning question among fishermen today is, 'Why are there so few salmon in Cowichan Bay as compared with two or three years ago?' I should like through the courtesy of your columns to express my opinion as a fisherman of thirty-five years' experience in British Columbia. 'Many people are inclined to blame the Indians for the decline in the city of fish, but while the Indians possibly take five tons per annum, the traps will take thirty tons in one haul. Most people get the impression that only catch a certain sized fish, but they catch and generally kill from a herring to a sea lion. Tons of pilchards are sometimes taken in one night.

May Share Sooke's Fate
"In a recent issue of The Colonist I noticed a letter from Mr. Babcock in which he attributed the extermination of the sockeye to traps on the American side. This is perfectly true as regards the sockeye, as they must necessarily pass through American waters in order to reach their spawning grounds in the Fraser River; but I would like to point out that unless the traps in our own waters, situated at Sooke and Otter Point, are restricted to a greater extent, the Spring salmon will very shortly share the fate of the sockeye. Then who will our Fishery Department blame?"

"In my evidence before a Fishery Commission held at New Westminster three years ago, I stated that in my opinion the extinction of the sockeye for commercial purposes would follow in a very few years. When the Fraser River was exterminated so quickly, how long can you expect the Cowichan River, which is not one hundredth part the size of the Fraser, to supply the demand? At the present rate of things, I give the Spring salmon in Cowichan Bay another three years, after which time specimens will only be seen put up in alcohol.

"Cod and halibut are already a thing of the past. Cohoes will be the next to go unless the purse-seines and the spoons on the feeding grounds, which catch them from two pounds upwards are restricted. I have no axe to grind, but I would like to see a few left for the next generation.

"In the license issued to fish trap owners, I understand that the Government stipulates that all fish shall be caught in their idea being employment of labor. Might I ask how many Spring salmon from Sooke and Otter Point traps have been canned this year, and if not any, why not? I know, and intend to air this question at a later date.

Present Regulations
"The present wording of the regulations governing the operation of the traps at Sooke and Otter Point apparently requires the pots to be lowered from Friday noon until 6 p.m. on Sunday. This simply means that the fish walk about outside the mouth of the trap and are let in after 6 o'clock on Sunday. Sunday night's catch frequently being larger than on any other day of the week, the haul often reaching 30,000 fish. If, on the other hand, the pots were required to be lifted during the same period, sufficient fish would pass through the channel to ensure an adequate number reaching their spawning grounds, as well as affording ample food and sport for the numerous fishermen living beyond the traps.

"To enact this modification of existing restrictions would be a simple means of averting threatened calamity to Cowichan Bay. This is a vital matter demanding prompt attention. If anyone has any suggestion to make I would welcome it, for unless something is done to restrict the working of these traps I repeat that in three years there will not be a spring to be seen in Cowichan Bay."

Fifteen years of observation by an English scientist have disproved an old theory that a full moon radiates enough heat to cause clouds to disappear by drawing moisture from them.

CHELSEA TIES WITH CARDIFF CITY MEN

Notts County Easily Vanguished
Spurs—Birmingham Loose to Blackburn Rovers

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The league battles in the United Kingdom are becoming increasingly interesting and this week put the leaders in position for some great fights in future games. The performance of the teams is best revealed by comparison with their games of last week, when today's home clubs played away.

Cardiff City, the league leaders, were able to defeat Chelsea last Saturday by 2-1 at Chelsea, but today the Metropolitan held the Welshmen down to a one-all draw at Cardiff. Notts County easily defeated the Spurs on the latter's grounds this afternoon; Aston Villa could only draw with Burnley.

Blackburn Rovers took Birmingham into camp by 4-1 after drawing with them last week. Notts Forest avenged their 5-2 defeat for their previous tilt with Middlesboro and turned it into a 2-1 victory.

A Scoreless Draw
A scoreless draw featured the game between Newcastle United and Westham, while Manchester City defeated the Arsenal 2-1. The first five in order in the league table are: Cardiff, Notts County, Bolton Wanderers (who today defeated Sunderland), Aston Villa and Blackburn Rovers.

The first five teams in order in the Scottish League are: Rangers, Partick, Airdrie, Celtic and Raith. The latter sent Third Lanark down to defeat by the biggest score of the day, six to one.

Yesterday's Old Country football results were as follows:

ENGLISH LEAGUE
First Division
Arsenal 1, Manchester 2.
Aston Villa 1, Burnley 1.
Blackburn Rovers 4, Birmingham 1.
Bolton Wanderers 1, Sunderland 0.
Cardiff C. 1, Chelsea 1.
Huddersfield 0, West Bromwich 0.
Liverpool 1, Everton 2.
Newcastle United 0, Westham United 0.

Second Division
Barnsley 0, Rotherham 0.
Blackpool 1, The Wednesday 0.
Bradford City 2, Leicester City 2.
Bristol City 1, Southampton 1.
Derby County 4, Hull City 1.
Pulham 1, Coventry 1.
Leeds United 1, Clapton Orient 0.
Manchester United 2, Oldham A. 0.
Nelson 4, Crystal Palace 2.
South Shields 1, Bury 0.

Third Division—Northern Section
Aldershot 3, Crewe A. 0.
Barrow 1, Bradford 1.
Darlington 1, Lincoln C. 0.
Durham C. 2, Wiganboro 2.
Grimsby Town 0, Hartlepool U. 1.
Rochdale 1, Rotherham C. 0.
Southport 1, Chesterfield 0.
Tranmere Rovers 1, New Brighton 2.

Scottish League
First Division
Aberdeen 2, Hamilton A. 0.
Airdrie 1, Morton 1.
Clyde 2, Clydebank 0.
Hearts 0, Celtic 0.
Kilmarnock 2, Falkirk 1.
Motherwell 4, Dundee 2.
Queens Park 0, Patrick Thistles 2.
Raith Rovers 4, Third Lanark 1.
Rangers 1, Ayr United 0.
St. Mirren 0, Hibernians 1.

Second Division
Aberdeen 2, Arbroath 2.
Armadale 2, Kings Park 4.
Brechin United 4, Albion Rovers 2.
Dumfries 1, Vale of Leven 0.
Dundee Hibernians 0, East Fife 0.
Dunfermline 1, Bathgate 0.
Forfar 3, Johnstone 2.
Leochellyth 1, Cowden 0.
St. Bernard's 2, Boness 3.
Stenhouse Muir 0, St. Johnstone 0.

WEDNESDAY FOOTBALL CLUB MEETS MONDAY

Final Arrangements for Opening League Games to Be Made at Y.M.C.A. Tomorrow

With the opening of the Victoria and District Wednesday Football League next Wednesday, the league has called a meeting for tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the Y.M.C.A., at which all delegates are requested to be present. At the meeting final arrangements will be made for the opening games. This year five teams will compete for the Pendray Cup, emblematic of the mid-week soccer championship.

Wednesday's game will bring together into action three of the new teams, namely, Cranleigh House School, Broad Street, and the local Teamsters. The former team will open the league with the local Teamsters as their guests at Beacon Hill, while Broad Street will tackle the Hudson's Bay at the Royal Athletic Park, both games commencing at 3 o'clock.

AMERICAN FOOTBALL

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Today's football results were as follows:

At New Haven, Conn.—Yale 40, Georgia 0.
At Indianapolis—Indiana 12, Northwestern 6.
At Ann Arbor—Vanderbilt 0, Michigan 2.
At Syracuse—Syracuse 23, Alabama 0.
At Philadelphia—Pennsylvania 13, Swarthmore 10.
At New Haven—Yale Freshmen 34, University of Cleveland 0.
At Madison, Wis.—Wisconsin 21, Michigan Aggie 0.
At Minneapolis—Minnesota 13, Haskell Indians 13.
At Iowa City—Iowa 7, Purdue 0.
At Ithaca—Cornell 14, Williams 6.
At Andover, Mass.—Harvard Freshmen 7, Andover 0.

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JORDAN AND BROWN BATTLE TO DRAW

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Oct. 13.—Johnny Jordan, of San Francisco, and Young Brown, of Los Angeles, lightweight, boxed a fast four-round draw last night at the Hollywood American Legion Stadium. Jimmy Hackley, of the U.S.S. Procyon, and Frankie Dean also fought a draw in the semi-windup.

Other results were: Johnny Spahr won on a foul from Bert Meyer, one round. Bud Forrester won from Young McLaren when the latter's seconds threw up the sponge, three rounds. Johnny Doyle defeated Tony Montoya, decision. Jimmy Fliton defeated Jack Spencer, decision. Johnny Reno defeated Freddie Ellis, decision.

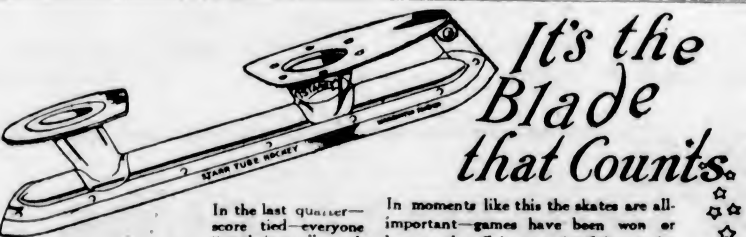
SAY BOXING BOUT IS "NO CONTEST"

QUEBEC, Oct. 13.—The newly-appointed Lewis boxing commission last night declared the feature contest between Albert Croucher, of Southampton, and Young Jack Johnson, of Boston, "no contest" in the second round after the Englishman had been fouled twice.

Johnson was fined \$50, while Croucher's share of the purse was withheld because he was not in proper condition.

WARSAW, Oct. 13.—The fourth fight of the Warsaw ciadel, in which explosives were stored, blew up today, causing great damage in the city.

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How Bobby Jones Became Golf's Greatest Genius

CHAPTER VII
The Open Championship at Inverness—
The Southern Title Again—
Defeat by Chick Evans and
Francis Ouimet

By O. B. Keeler

The year 1920 might be called an educational year for Bobby Jones. In August he played in his first national open championship, finished in a tie for eighth place, learned that there always is a great chance of the leaders slipping in the fourth round, and that it is not always necessary to break par to make up a deficit of even as much as four strokes. A par fourth round at Inverness for Bobby would have won the championship of 1920, he was that close to glory. He had done the third round in 70, two under par. But the boy of 18 could not believe the great Bobby Jones could slip back to a 78 in the last round. Bobby went out for another 70 or better and tried too hard, and then did not try hard enough, and finally made a mistake or two, and took a 77 himself.

That was learning something for the future. Then there were some of those bitter lessons referred to earlier: for in this year Bobby was beaten at match play by two very great golfers, Chick Evans and Francis Ouimet, in the western amateur and the national amateur championships. Another runner-up place in the southern open championship, again on his home course at East Lake, this time to the late J. Douglas Edgar.

But first came the winning of the southern amateur title again, at Chattanooga, and by connecting his last two rounds in that tournament, and his qualifying rounds at Memphis immediately afterward, in the western amateur, one of Bobby's consecutive records is made. His last two completed rounds at Chattanooga were 70 and 68, and his two rounds at Memphis were 69 and 70—the lowest qualifying score ever returned in the western amateur; the four rounds together made 278, the same figure as Douglas Edgar's amazing mark in the Canadian open at Hamilton.

Eleven Ahead of Chick Evans
Bobby Jones' qualifying score was eight strokes better than that of Dick Hockenamp, who was next, and eleven strokes better than that of Chick Evans. On the heels of this easy victory at Chattanooga it looked as if the boy were about ready to dethrone the redoubtable Chick, who had won the title four times and was rather regarded as having a royal lien on it. Jones breezed through the opening rounds and then luck of the draw brought him with Evans.

It would be hard to imagine a prettier or a closer match over the 36-hole route. Evans was in trim for what he expected to be a real battle. It was. At the end of the morning round the two were square at match play and even at medal.

Both Sinks for a Par 3
It did seem that Bobby had him beaten, then. There was a weary droop to Chick's shoulders as he walked to the next tee. Still, outlying Evans, Jones was on the next

green with a powerful drive and iron and Evans was forty yards short, getting down with a chip and a six-foot putt. Both failed to stay on the one-shot sixteenth green; both left themselves six-foot putts with their recoveries—and both sank them for a par 3.

Then the Finish
Evans was off the seventeenth green with his second shot, in a deep grass trap, in deep grass. Jones was on, but on a long putt from the pin, and his approach putt was not good. Still, it was only half as far away as Evans' recovery, which left Chick a downhill putt of a dozen feet. And then—Evans sank his putt, and Jones missed his. As everybody foresaw, a half on the easy drive-and-pitch home hole ended the battle.

That was one of the bitter lessons of defeat that Bobby Jones had to learn, and one of the swiftest breaks of the game this writer ever has seen, after as brilliant a rally.

At the national amateur that year Bobby and Fred Wright were tied for the low medal score at the Engineers' Club. They met in the third round and agreed to play off for the medal in the first 18 holes. Freddie injudiciously shot a birdie 3 at Bob on the first hole. That got the notion in Bobby's head and in the next four holes Bobby shot seven 3's at him. Naturally, this had its effect on the general outcome, Bobby winning both the morning round and the match, closing out his man at the "Two or Twenty" fourteenth hole with a niblick pitch that stopped a foot from the cup.

Learned Another Lesson
In the semi-final round Bobby learned another lesson, though I am not among those who fancy that chasing a bee round the seventh green in the afternoon round cost Jones his chance to beat Francis Ouimet. Bobby did argue with the bee. He then was two down to Ouimet. After the argument was closed by an official putting a megaphone over the bee, Jones lost that hole with a weak putt, and went on to defeat, 6-5. But he was defeated by a golfer, especially on the greens, where, oddly enough, Ouimet lost his touch the next day against Evans and was beaten even worse than Jones.

But I suspect Bobby learned something of concentration from the realm of somewhat foolish and vastly exaggerated conversation about him and the bee. He must have learned that all his actions before a gallery numbering thousands, were closely observed—and not always accurately reported.

This was the case at Inverness, by the way, when after taking a bad 6 on the finishing hole of the first of his two qualifying rounds with Vardon, he tossed his putter back to the caddy, and the boy failed to catch it—and the printed word went out that Bobby Jones was "throwing clubs again."

Bobby was paired with the great Vardon for the two rounds of 18 holes for qualification at Inverness. That bad 6 on the last hole of the first round enabled Vardon, with a beautiful birdie 3, to tie with him at 75. But the next round Bobby rather stepped away from the Old Master and finished ahead of him. Then he continued the learning of the grim fact that there are two kinds of golf—golf, and tournament golf. With a 78 and a 74 the first day he was five strokes back of the leaders. He came out eighth in the third round, the lowest card turned in that day. That left him four strokes back of the lead. He tried to score even better in the fourth round, stumbled, and took a 77 and eighth place, where a 75 would have won and a 73 tied for first place. That was something to be learned, too. And I think Bobby learned the lesson well.

Bobby Tells Best Story
Of all that remarkable tourney at Inverness in 1920 the best golf story I heard was extracted from Bobby Jones himself as he sat at dinner the evening of the day he had finished his qualifying round ahead of Harry Vardon.

He and the Old Master had driven boldly over the trees from the seventh tee, straightened out the dog-leg, and were just in front of the green with nothing in the way. Vardon had the shorter drive and played first, his customary conservative little chip-and-run close to the pin. Bobby essayed a more spectacular approach; a wee pitch, intended to hit and stick. But he topped the ball, which scuttled like a rabbit across the green and into a trap beyond—an especially bad shot from such an easy place.

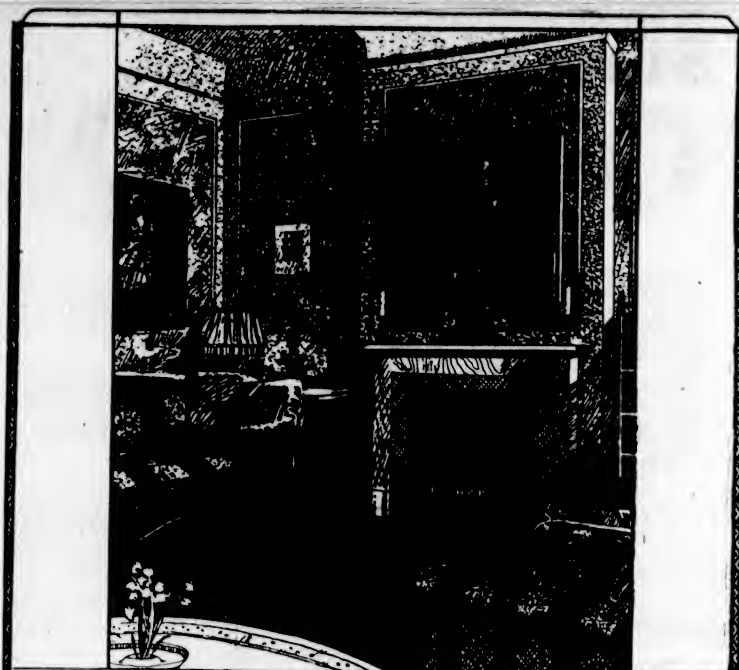
Yet he finished ahead of Vardon that day.

That evening I went over to Bobby's table and asked him what Harry had said about his game. I felt sure the famous Englishman had said something that would be interesting to the folks at home.

"Do you want to know what he really said?" asked Bobby, his ears turning suddenly red.

"Just exactly," I told him. "And don't be modest about it. You're not to be quoted."

"Well, I'll tell you. You remember that rottenest shot to the seventh green, which ran over into the trap?" I assured him I was not likely to forget it.



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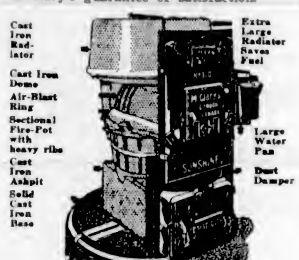
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tween the seventh green and the eighth tee. He said Bobby Jones was the "golfer of the future."

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Next—A Surprise Party

UPLANDS GOLF CLUB

Lady members of the Uplands Golf Club are reminded of the annual ladies' meeting of the organization, which will be held tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, in the Victoria Club, Campbell Building. A full attendance is desired.

HIGH SCHOOL WINS

The Victoria High School, it is announced, has won the miniature rifle shoot in the Canadian Rifle League individual competition, which was held last winter. J. Hall secured first prize, while the third award was gained by A. H. Fraser.

HUNTERS GET BIG BAG IN CARIBOO

MR. PERLE R. FLEMING'S PARTY ENJOY'S MONTH'S SPORT

Victoria Business Man Says "District Is Hunter's Paradise"—Claims Scenery Is Unequaled

Five moose, three caribou, two grizzly bears and one mule deer, one of the moose and the caribou being the largest heads ever brought out of the district, were a portion of the bag that a party of hunters, headed by Mr. Perle R. Fleming, of Victoria, secured in an expedition into the Cariboo country during the past four weeks. The sportsmen returned to the city yesterday, agreed upon the point that their month's holiday was the most enjoyable that they had ever experienced.

The party that left Victoria for the interior of the province on September 14 included Mr. P. R. Fleming, local manager of the Canada Life Assurance Company; Mr. E. W. Hemphill, Mayor of LaMirada, California; Mr. William S. Sprouton, Bridgeville, California; and Messrs. O. G. Allan, general manager of Standard Oil Pipe Line Department in Southern California, and N. Frank Morris, both of Los Angeles.

The hunters proceeded from Vancouver to Quesnel, on the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, and motored from Quesnel to Barkerville. At the latter point they made preparations for their hunting trip into the wooded country, and secured the famous guides, Messrs. Frank Kibbee and Floyd Reid, to lead the way. Mr. Bill Thompson was the cook, and all day compliment to his ability as a caterer.

Fine Weather Aids Party
Fine weather and clear skies proved great assets to the travelers as they scouted along through bush and down and up streams by countless valleys and beneath many beautiful mountain peaks, until they reached McElroy Lake, the furthest point east that they went, a distance of ninety miles northeast of Barkerville. The hunters traveled in the lakes and rivers in canoes, and were obliged to make a number of portages.

Over fifteen hundred miles were covered by the party during their month's trip, three weeks of which they were seeking game. Mr. Fleming told The Colonist last night that the "Cariboo district cannot be compared anywhere in so far as game is concerned. There are no better places for fishing than in the Cariboo lakes, saying that "trout from five to fourteen pounds can be got just as fast as one can shoot them."

During the hunting trip, the party met two Vancouver Island hunters, these being Major Poole, of Cowichan, and Major Harriott, of Westholme. At that time, the majors had bagged one moose, although they had been only a few days on the job.

One of the things that drew the party's attention was the large number of berries in the district. There were hundreds of berry bushes, and every kind of berry. It seemed, was there for the hunter to enjoy. Blueberries, raspberries, three kinds of cranberries, raspberries, cherries, wild currants, gooseberries and others were to be picked from the bushes.

Keenly Impressed Party
Each member of the party was greatly impressed by the beauty of the landscape in the Cariboo, all of them saying that "the scenery was the finest in the world, and there wasn't any need to go to Switzerland to gaze upon incomparable loveliness." The party counted twenty-one glaciers from a point on a mountain. The Californians simply raved about British Columbia, and stated last night that this Province will get plenty of publicity if "we have anything to do about it."

In speaking of Barkerville, Mr. Fleming stated that the inhabitants there had made part of a clean-up in gold three weeks ago, and that a dredging company was moving in there and would make money if it ever got down to bed rock. He pointed out that between forty and fifty Chinamen were busy washing gold, and were making good money.

Successfully Defends Featherweight Crown
TORONTO, Oct. 13.—"Curly" Williams, of Toronto, successfully defended his newly won title of Canadian featherweight champion here tonight when he outfought and outclassed Joey Fox, of England, in a fast ten-round bout.

PANCHO VILLA WINS BOUT WITH SCHWARTZ
BALTIMORE, Oct. 13.—Pancho Villa, world's flyweight champion, was awarded the decision over Benny Schwartz, of Baltimore, southern flyweight champion, at the end of their fifteen-round bout here last night.

VICTORIA GOLF CLUB
The ladies' annual meeting to be held at the Oak Bay clubhouse has been postponed until Monday, October 22, at 5 p.m. It is hoped there will be a large attendance and all lady members of the club are urged to make an effort to be there.

The ladies' monthly booby competition will be played on Friday, October 19.

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TORONTO TRIUMPHS OVER MCGILL MEN

MONTREAL, Oct. 13.—The University of Toronto triumphed over McGill University in their annual intercollegiate rugby league game this afternoon before 5,000 spectators, when they won a most stubbornly fought battle 22-9.

Argos Trim Montreal
TORONTO, Oct. 13.—The Toronto Argos defeated the M.A.A. Montreal team by 17 to 9 in the Senior Ontario Rugby League here this afternoon.

Poisoned Arrow Wins At Kempton Park Meet

KEMPTON PARK, England, Oct. 13.—The Duke of York Handicap, carrying 2,000 sovereigns, was won today by Major Harold Cyster's four-year-old brown colt, Poisoned Arrow, at 100 to 8 against N. Baring's Roman Bachelor, 100-7, was second, and Captain Forester's Light Dragon, 7-1, was third. Fifteen horses ran.

MR. GEORGE LOVATT WILL LEAVE CITY

PROMINENT LOCAL SPORTSMAN GOES TO WINNIPEG

Athletic Circle Here Loses Valuable Friend and Worker, Who Always Has Been Keen for Games

The city of Victoria is losing one of its prominent men, as next week Mr. G. R. Lovatt departs for the East to take up an important position as supervisor of the three Prairie provinces for a financial house with headquarters in Winnipeg.

For over two years Mr. Lovatt has been one of the managers of the Hudson's Bay Company, and being one of the most prominent men in the store his keen and kindly interest in all there has made for him a host of friends who though wishing him every success will deeply regret his departure.

It is largely through his efforts the Hudson's Bay Employees' Association has achieved such success and few organizations can boast of a hundred per cent membership but such is the case with that association. Mr. Lovatt retired as one of the oldest members of the executive, having been one of its most active workers since its inauguration.

The sporting circles will lose a valuable friend and active worker as Mr. Lovatt has always been keenly interested in all lines of sport, football, swimming, basketball and hockey having been his chief interest, and all these athletic bodies have greatly benefited by the spirit and energy he created, and his help and kindly interest at all times always assured to make amateur sport a success.

Organizes Hockey League
It was through his efforts that the Victoria Commercial Hockey was formed and so successful and his retirement from the position of president, which he held for two years, was a great loss to that branch of sport as Mr. Lovatt had big things under way for the coming season, and success seemed assured with his guidance and support, as all his efforts have been exceptionally successful.

During the May Time, Frolic Mr. Lovatt was one of the most active workers as secretary of the parade committee assisted greatly in making the parade the finest ever seen on the Pacific Coast.

His numerous friends wish him every success. Victoria's loss is Winnipeg's gain, and as he says, this is the most beautiful place he has ever resided in, local citizens will hope that he will soon return which he no doubt will as his parents reside here permanently, and he claims Victoria as his home.

HOTEL DOUGLAS IN NEW HANDS AGAIN

Mr. J. H. Killick Takes Over Local Hotel—Former Hotel and Business Man of Alberta

The Hotel Douglas has changed hands, the lease having been taken over by Mr. J. H. Killick, a former hotel and business man in Alberta, who has had twenty-three years' experience on the Prairies.

Mr. Killick came to the city about a year ago, and bought a home here. Optimistic as to Victoria's future and looking for a big influx of tourists next year, he has now become proprietor of the Douglas, a hotel of 120 rooms, situated at the corner of Douglas Street and Pandora Avenue. The only objection Mr. Killick has is that the hotel will be too small. The sale of the hotel lease was negotiated by Mr. Bert G. Robinson, real estate broker, 1217 Broughton Street.

NEW COMMISSIONERS

Mr. A. B. Perry, of Vancouver, Accepts Office in Scouts

Mr. A. B. Perry, of Vancouver, who has lately come to the Coast to reside, has accepted the post of Provincial Commissioner of the Boy Scouts' Association in British Columbia. Mr. Perry has had considerable experience in scouting, holding a commissioner's warrant in Ottawa. At the recent annual meeting of the British Columbia Provincial Council of the Boy Scouts' Association, Mr. R. Ross Sutherland, who has acted in the capacity of Provincial Commissioner for the past two years, was elected Provincial President of the Association.

ENTERTAINING AT TEA

Mrs. T. K. Leach, of St. George's W.A., Holding Silver Tea Oct. 17

The Women's Auxiliary, Royal Society of St. George's, will hold a silver tea at the home of Mrs. T. K. Leach, 1139 Hilda Street, on Wednesday, October 17, from 3 o'clock till 6 in the afternoon. From 7:40 to 10:30 p.m. an evening party will be held, at which there will be musical items, a whist drive and refreshments.

The president, Dean C. R. Quinton and Mrs. Quinton will be present, also Mrs. Scriven, Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Symons, and many others. The proceeds will go to augment the fund for the proposed Home of Rest for Invalids. An invitation is extended to all members of the society to be present and bring their friends.

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Plays and Players

The Sporting Earl Is A British Production

Royal Victoria Theatre Will Show This Week Big English Movie Which Is Based on Celebrated Drury Lane Melodrama—Victor Herbert Appears in the Title Role.

THE Royal Theatre this week will exhibit the big English production, "The Sporting Earl." This film should make a big hit in Canada as it did in England, based as it is on the lines of two big former successes, "Mickey" and "The Whip." In the vernacular of London, England, "The Sporting Earl" is a "wiz," can even be construed as an "egg," and, furthermore, has all the elements of a "full-fledged pip." In other words, it is a round of laughs, action, fun and excitement. There is an Earl, there is a girl, there is a big fight, a big fire, and a corking story concerning the Baronet, Sir Horace Pilkington, who leaves an eccentric will by virtue of which one of his nephews becomes possessed of all his racing stables, and there we have "The Sporting Earl."

Impetuous Sport
Not a farthing to his name, but still the owner of a racing stable, which includes the magic name of "Cheerio 'Arf a Mo'." Known throughout English sporting circles as the fastest colt from Ascot to Timbuctoo, the last named place, however, being strictly outside the actual scene of "Cheerio's" cyclonic performances. The steepchases to be seen in "The Sporting Earl" are battles of fleet-footed thoroughbreds with hearts of steel; thrilling pulsating contests carrying us over the famous English water jumps, hazards, obstacles, and winding up in fighting, straining neck to neck, finishes on the turf, where the heart is of no more avail than the legs, and there is where you will see "Cheerio 'Arf a Mo'" come in as the gamest horse that ever went over an Ascot water jump.

Many Thrills Featured
A big conflagration, fights, romance and sparkling comedy figure in this great motion picture. The stables and holding "Cheerio 'Arf a Mo'" and "Quicksilver," the two stars of the sporting Earl's stables, are sent up in flames, and the Sporting Earl's bread-winners are saved only after a thrilling fight with half a dozen desperate bouncers, during which the heroine and the ubiquitous dog comes in for an enthusiastic and successful share in the pugilistic proceedings.

The part of "The Sporting Earl" is taken by Victor Herbert, and the part of the girl is taken by the famous English actress, Lillian Hall-Davis, who played the leading roles in "The Game of Life," "A Royal Divorce," and "The Faithful Heart," the big English super-pictures, which have met with outstanding success both in England and in Canada.

Barrie's Comedy Is Billed at Playhouse

Compton Players Will Offer "The Admirable Crichton" This Week, Commencing Wednesday

This week's offering at the Playhouse is to be that inimitable comedy, "The Admirable Crichton," from the pen of the greatest dramatist of the present day, Sir James Barrie. Of all the Barrie plays this one is generally conceded to be the most popular. It is full of the genuine Barrie humor, and contains that fantastic quality which is inseparable from all his works.

The delightful plot, in which Lord Loom, his three daughters, with two friends, also Crichton his butler and Tweeny his kitchen maid, find themselves wrecked on a desert island, all save Crichton being quite helpless to meet the difficulties of the situation. How they all finally take their orders from him till he becomes absolute lord and master, and how, when they are eventually rescued and are back in England, Crichton resumes his position of butler, is too well known to elaborate on.

Mr. Compton will play Crichton, and another excellent rendering may be expected from him. Lady Mary, Lord Loom's eldest daughter, will give Miss Peggy Dundas a delightful role to which she will do full justice. Mr. Herbert Leslie will be Lord Loom, a part that will suit him admirably, and Miss Agnes Hurton will play Lady Brookhurst, a character role in which she will be seen to advantage. Miss Dorothy Clancy, who made such a favorable impression last week on her first appearance in Victoria, will be Lady Agatha, another of Lord Loom's daughters, and Miss Winifred Maguire will be Lady Catherine. Mr. Bruce Bredin has a great opportunity as the Hon. Ernest Woolley, and a pleasant young parson will be played by Mr. Clifford Winterman. Miss Peggy Lewis, as Tweeny the maid, has a delightful part. Mr. George Dunbar as Lord Brookhurst, with Mr. Gibson Gunn, Mr. Wilfrid Hill and Mr. George Fenton in minor roles, round out a cast of excellent quality.

Gun Discharges As Hunter Enters Motor On Shooting Trip

ABBOTSFORD, B.C., Oct. 12.—A tragic occurrence marked the opening of the pheasant shooting season here this morning, when Mr. Harold Peck, a well-known resident, was killed as he was about to enter his automobile.

He had said goodbye to Mrs. Peck, a few minutes before. He carried a loaded gun and it is presumed that as he was stepping into his motor the weapon exploded.

Mr. Peck was a brother of Colonel Cy Peck, V.C., and a son of Mrs. Wesley Peck, New Westminster. He leaves two sons and two daughters. One son, Captain Peck, lives in Vancouver.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen
Capitol—"If Winter Comes," starring Percy Marmont.
Columbia—Claire Windsor in "The Little Church Around the Corner."
Dominion—George Arliss in "The Green Goddess."
Royal—"The Sporting Earl," featuring Victor Herbert.
The Stage
Pantages—"In Wyoming."
Playhouse—"The Admirable Crichton," commencing Wednesday.

and two steel cages brought from Pennsylvania.

"The Little Church Around the Corner" is the story of David Graham, a young minister doing good work for the miners, and his love for Leila Morton, daughter of the mine owner. David's allegiance slowly slips away, until a great shock makes him see the light; the climax comes with a miracle and a sensational charge that lifts the picture to great heights.

Miss Windsor's supporting cast includes Kenneth Harlan, Hobart Bosworth, Walter Long, Alec Francis, Pauline Stark, George Cooper, Margaret Seddon, Winter Hall, Cyril Chadwick and Tom Kennedy.

MANY NOVELTIES PROMISED AT ROYAL FOR MUSIC LOVERS

The programme of music arranged by Mr. A. Prescott, director of the Royal orchestra, for Music Lovers' Night, Monday Night, will contain many novelties and many selections new to this city. Some of the numbers to be rendered during the evening are as follows:

Overture, "La Gioconda" (A. Ponchielli); serenade (C. Chaminade); serenade, "Butterfly" (J. H. Denny); barcarolle (A. Rubenstein); fox trot, "Love" (Young & Lewis); waltz, "Dreamy Melody" (Kochles); fox trot, "That Old Gang of Mine" (Billy Rose).

In addition to this, the Discovery artist for this week will no doubt more than fulfill the promises that have been made previously about this talented young lady.

POWERFUL SCENES SEEN IN SCREEN SCENARIO

Wonderfully Realistic Reproduction Offered in "If Winter Comes" at Capitol This Week

Thousands who have read A. S. M. Hutchinson's "If Winter Comes" and have heard that William Fox has produced a motion picture version of the great novel have wondered how the dramatic element could be extracted from such a conversational book and presented on the screen. A highly impressive answer is supplied in the photoplay itself which has attained a height of dramatic power rarely achieved on the screen. "If Winter Comes" will be given its first showing at the Capitol Theatre tomorrow.

Two of the most powerful scenes in this screen masterpiece are the quest on Effie Bright, the young girl whom Mark befriended and for whose death he is suspected, and Mark's meeting later with the hypocritical Twynning, who sought to fasten the crime on him.

Throughout the trial, with the prosecution twisting facts and distorting innocent situations, poor old Mark is dragged through a hell beyond his imagination. In this difficult, entirely psychological situation, Percy Marmont shows clearly his complete understanding of the mind of Mark. While vicious, poisonous questions are being hurled at him the fitting expressions on the face of Marmont are those of bewilderment, horror—he is unable to realize the situation and the charges against him. To him it does not seem possible that these men can really mean what they charge him with. They couldn't possibly believe that he committed a crime.

Then, armed with the proof that Twynning's son is the father of Effie Bright's child, Mark seeks out the elder Twynning to "bush him." He enters the office with murder in his heart. He learns that Twynning's son gave his life in battle. He softens and, instead of wreaking vengeance, he spares Twynning, his arch enemy, the pain of knowing his son's misdeed, consoling him with the words: "There, there—fine death—fine death—brave lad—brave lad." Marmont's performance in this scene is a fine accomplishment.

The photoplay "If Winter Comes" is filled with dramatic scenes and situations that rank high above the screen average.

VILLAINY REWARDED IN PHOTOPLAYS

Bad Actors Get Thousand a Week Shooting "The Green Goddess," Showing at Dominion

If there is one place where villainy is rewarded it is on the screen. Nowadays a good first-class villain, technically known as a "heavy," can command a salary of at least one thousand dollars a week. It is just the old story of supply and demand. Every story has its villain, but there are only a few actors who can be convincingly bad. Harry T. Morey, who portrays an excessively brutal husband in the distinctive picture "The Green Goddess," which comes to the Dominion Theatre for six days, beginning Monday, is one of the few. The others are Erich von Stroheim, Walter Lang, Charles Gerrard, Adolphe Jean Menjou, Wallace Beery, Lew Cody and Robert Cain. Mr. Morey, however, has been doing "dirty work" for a longer period than any of his contemporaries. He started as far back as 1909 playing villain. Maurice Costello's heroes, Mr. Costello was the Valentino of that period and all the girls hated Harry Morey because of the mean tricks he was always playing on their Maurice.

However, you can't keep a good man down, even if he does play villains, and Harry was so good at being bad that the Vitaphone Company decided to star him in a series of pictures, which they did and with much success.

Of late, Mr. Morey's services have been in great demand by astute producers, who realize that you can't make a real hero or a heroine seem logical unless you have an unusual test of their courage at hand in the person of an especially desperate, despicable and unscrupulous villain. For that reason Harry has decided to be nothing but bad, as he is making twice as much as he did the few times he was the star and behaved himself.

Just previous to his appearance with George Arliss in "The Green Goddess," Mr. Morey was featured in Rex Ingram's great picture, "Where the Pavement Ends." Like Erich von Stroheim, Harry is a man you will most assuredly "love to hate."

Morey's appearance in "The Green Goddess" with Alice Joyce brings these two noted players together again in the same cast after an interval of many years. Morey was Miss Joyce's leading man in her earlier pictures.

Prince Opens Memorial

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The prince of Wales, who has contributed a hundred pounds toward the memorial at Banger to the North Wales heroes, will open the memorial on his return from Canada, November 1. The war memorial, which is adding a science department to North Wales University, is now being completed at a cost of £100,000.

MACY-BAIRD PLAYERS IN TWO CLEVER BILLS

"In Wyoming," on Monday, and "Why William Went to France," for Week-End

On Monday evening the offering at the Pantages Theatre by the popular Macy and Baird players will be "In Wyoming." Willard Mack's famous western drama of life on the plains in the days of the cattle rustlers.

In this play Toby appears as a wringer merchant selling wringers, but is in reality a Pinkerton secret service man in disguise on the trail of an escaped murderer.

Next Friday and Saturday a farce-comedy will be the offering, namely, "Why William Went to France."

This play was originally starred in by William Collier, the famous comedian, and the fun is fast and furious. A bargain matinee at fifteen cents for children and twenty-five cents for adults will be a feature Saturday afternoon.

Tomorrow evening is amateur night and all amateurs who have not sent in their application are requested to do so at once.

ANNUAL MEETING OF VICTORIA BURNS CLUB

Address Will Be Given by Prominent School and Educationist From Scotland

The first annual meeting of the Victoria Burns Club will be held on Tuesday, October 16, in the Victoria Club rooms, Campbell Building, at 8 p.m.

The retiring president, Mr. John Hodge, will give his presidential address, and there will be an election of officers for the ensuing year. A recent arrival from Edinburgh, Mr. William Mackay, M.A., who has long occupied an eminent position in the scholastic world in Scotland, will speak on "Old Edinburgh."

The club has received splendid support during the first year of its existence. The membership is not confined to Scots folk, but is open to all lovers of the great Scottish poet. A large gathering is expected at the annual meeting. Refreshments will be provided, and the musical programme will include songs by Mrs. J. C. Shaw, Mrs. William Wright and Major Pirith.

Given Nomination

REGINA, Oct. 12.—Joseph Victor Patterson, Progressive, a farmer at Hearn, was today nominated to oppose the election of the government candidate, Bert Lewis, in the forthcoming by-election in Milestone provincial constituency.

TWO BIG FEATURES BILLED AT PANTAGES

Joe Roberts, Classed by Himself, and Fantastic "Shadowland" Spectacle Week's Topliners

"Shadowland," a fantastic spectacle danced by beautifully formed colored shadows as presented by a master of stagecraft, Max Teuber, comes to the Pantages Theatre as one of the feature attractions opening at 9 o'clock Tuesday night. It has been characterized as one of the most novel and artistic dancing creations of the season. Appearing in silhouette, five young girls offer a series of dancing studies, including "The Awakening of Spring," "Shadows of Egypt," "Shadow Flirtation," "Bubbles," "In Roseland" and "The Statue of Light." Colorful electrical effects and special settings are said to enhance the beauty of this production.

The other big feature is Joe Roberts, famous banjoist, whom Pantages audiences always welcome, and who will appear in a selected repertoire of classical, popular and syncopated numbers. Mr. Roberts is known from coast to coast for his remarkable musical technique. His most novel and artistic selections were written by famous composers and popular numbers.

Joe Holland and Kathleen O'Den will introduce their favorite comedy success, "Alibi Nature Grand." Comedy songs and some smart patter make up the routine of these two and an amusing kissing number is included in their offering.

Two superior artists, Kate and Willey, will be seen in a novelty contortion performance, including some artistic athletic posing.

"The Poster Girl," one of vaudeville's daily novelties, will be presented by a talented young girl offering an artistic programme of impressions of famous stage celebrities. Many changes of costume and a distinctive setting add to the attractiveness of this presentation.

Ritter and Knappe have a European juggling number in which they manipulate small as well as heavy articles. On the screen the features will be a new Century comedy and one of the latest scenic reels.

This show is heralded as one of the best in recent weeks and is expected to do big business.

Methodist Penitents

TORONTO, Oct. 13.—During the proceedings of the Board of Methodist superannuation fund in annual session here yesterday, it was announced that with endowments totalling \$2,339,456 and a rate of pension which guarantees a regular, if modest income, in declining years, the board was able to maintain the rate of payment for the coming year in the active ministry, or a payment of \$800 each year to preachers who have labored for forty years.

When "CHEERIO 'ARF A MO'" went to the post at four o'clock, "THE SPORTING EARL" had wagered everything but the bally old B. V. D.'s and still taking 6 to 1.

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LEAGUE OF NATIONS APPROVED BY LADIES

Cowichan Women's Institute After
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Address by Rev. B. Wallace, Be-

DUNCAN, Oct. 12.—The Rev. Bryce Wallace, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Duncan, gave a very instructive and interesting address before the members of the Cowichan Women's Institute, at their regular meeting on Tuesday, his subject being the "League of Nations."

The speaker, who was introduced by Mrs. Henderson, chairman of the Advisory Board of Women's Institutes, described the four different bodies which comprised the League, namely: The Assembly, consisting of fifty-three members; the Executive Council, which carry out the rules of the assembly; the Court of International Justice, and the Secretariat body.

The idea of the League grew out of the Peace Conference of 1919. Representatives of almost every nation are among its members, with the exception of delegates from Russia, Germany, Turkey, and the United States of America, with a few other lesser kingdoms, who still refuse to take part in this world-wide organization for peace and the betterment of mankind.

Enumerating the chief acts of the League, the speaker told of the dispute between Sweden and Finland over the possession of the Åland Isles in the Baltic Sea, which was successfully settled by the League, as was also the dispute on the Albanian frontier. The impending war between Italy and Greece was largely diverted by the efforts of the League.

Austria Given Aid
Austria, in its disordered and impoverished condition after the war, applied to the League for help. A committee was formed to thoroughly examine the conditions of the country, and under its supervision assistance Austria was already receiving a little of her former prosperity. This was pointed out as an example of the work of the League, being not merely an organization to stop war, but a constructive body ready to undertake all national problems brought to its notice, and in all ways to assist in world improvement, physical, mental and spiritual.

The speaker referred to Sir Robert Cecil as the soul of the League, and impressed on his hearers the necessity for the women of the nations to uphold its work and ideals. It was the women of a country at war who suffered most, who had most to endure, and on whom and on their children the marks of war had the most lasting effect.

A cordial vote of thanks was given the speaker at the conclusion of the address, and a motion was unanimously passed that the Cowichan Women's Institute become a corporate member of the League of Nations by payment of a fee of \$10 per annum, and affiliated with the local branch in Victoria.

Former Worker Thanked
Other business transacted at the meeting was a resolution that a special letter of thanks and appreciation be sent to Mrs. W. Paterson, who has left the district. Mrs. Paterson has long been connected with the institute, and was always one of its active members. The letter will be signed by the directors on behalf of the members.

Mrs. W. J. Neal was appointed official delegate at the forthcoming Annual Institute Conference, to be held in Victoria in November. Mrs. C. Warwick being appointed institute delegate.

A grant from the institute funds was made towards the purchase of a prize to be competed for by the institutes at the Folio Fair, shortly to be held in Victoria.

Mrs. E. Darlington, teacher of Domestic Science in the Duncan High School, will address the November meeting on Domestic Science. A roll-call will be taken, at which the members will be asked to give their opinion of the teaching of Domestic Science in the schools.

Miss Hall, public health nurse, will give a series of home-nursing classes to the women of the district, under the auspices of the Cowichan Women's Institute, who are also arranging classes for dressmaking.

MOOSE PRESENTATION

Interesting Event Marks Social
Evening of Nanaimo Lodge of
Order

NANAIMO, Oct. 12.—The members of the local Moose Lodge and their lady friends held a very pleasant social evening at the G.W.V.A. hall on Wednesday evening. Opportunity was taken on this occasion to make a presentation to a popular officer of the lodge on the occasion of his recent marriage.

Past Dictator Bro. W. Frazer, acting as master of ceremonies, called upon Past Dictator A. A. Davis to make the presentation on behalf of the lodge to Vice-Dictator C. R. Mulholland. Bro. Davis, in a happy vein, presented the recent groom with a very handsome upholstered chair, with the best wishes of the lodge for future happiness of Bro. and Mrs. Mulholland.

On behalf of the Nanaimo Legion Club of the Second Degree Moose, Past Dictator and Local Herd Bro. Wm. Fulton presented Bro. and Mrs. Mulholland with a handsome mantle clock, suitably inscribed, and bearing the Mooseheart Legion emblem. Vice-Dictator Mulholland made a feeling response, expressing his deep appreciation to the members of the lodge and Legion Club for their kindness.

During the evening a buffet supper was served by the ladies. Dancing, interspersed with a brief musical program, combined to make a most enjoyable evening.

E. & N. TRAIN SERVICE
PORT ALBERNI, Oct. 12.—The E. & N. Railway local train service will change to winter schedule on October 21. Trains will leave and arrive here at the same time as hitherto, but will depart on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings, and return here on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons, connecting with the boat at Nanaimo both ways. The S.S. Princess Patricia will connect with Vancouver on a double service on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and on a single service on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

PLEASANT VALLEY COMMUNITY HALL

Residents of District Near Nanaimo
Erect Credited Building, Now
Officially Opened

NANAIMO, Oct. 13.—A community hall, recently built by the residents of Pleasant Valley, North Wellington district, was officially opened on Wednesday evening by Mr. Thomas B. Booth, of this city.

The hall is centrally located and of such dimensions and construction as to make it a credit to any community. The floor is of hardwood, making it ideal for dancing.

Mr. Wm. Ailsopp presided at the opening ceremonies and in his remarks paid a fitting tribute to the ladies of the district, whose zeal and labors for months past made the building of the hall possible.

In dedicating the hall officially open, Mr. Booth paid a tribute to the enterprise of the community which had resulted in the erection of such an imposing edifice and made reference to the problems confronting the farmer, many of which he felt could be eliminated by the carrying out of the community spirit. The building of the Community Hall, declared Mr. Booth, would not only afford the residents of Pleasant Valley quarters for entertainment and amusement, but also a meeting place for the discussion of farmers' problems, and in declaring the hall officially opened, he expressed the hope that Community Hall would long be the gathering place of a happy and contented people, and he wished the residents of Pleasant Valley an era of unbounded prosperity.

The hall was decorated with produce of the valley and the profusion of fruits and vegetables demonstrated that Pleasant Valley does not take second place to any district in the quality of its farm products.

During the evening a musical program was rendered in which several artists from Nanaimo took part, those who contributed being the Misses Ursula Dobson, Muriel Crawford, Dorothy Dagg, Gilmore, Nellie Allen, Donner and Malpas; Mr. and Mrs. Carter (Lantzville), Mrs. Newman, Mrs. T. Harrison, Mrs. James Vipond and Masters Vipond and Biggs, and Mr. Nelson.

At the conclusion of the concert the fruit and vegetable display was auctioned off, and upwards of \$50 realized. Refreshments were then served, after which dancing was indulged in until the early hours of the morning.

Coroner Hickling conducted an inquiry yesterday morning in connection with the death of Mah Chong, who died in the Nanaimo Hospital on October 9, as the result of injuries received in an automobile accident on Comox Road on October 6. Several witnesses were examined, after which the jury returned a verdict of accidental death, with no blame attached to anyone.

CRICKET AND SPORTS CLUB HOLDS DANCE

Enjoyable Social Function Held at
Duncan on Friday Evening At-
tended by Large Number

DUNCAN, Oct. 13.—Despite the fact that the dance given by the Cowichan Cricket and Sports Club in the Agricultural Hall here last evening did not get the full support that might have been accorded it, it was a most enjoyable social function. About one hundred and seventy-five were in attendance.

The general management is to be congratulated, for although the attendance was not up to standard it is expected that the coffers of the Sports Club will be enriched by \$20.

Mr. W. T. Corbishley acted as generalissimo of the affair. Assisting on the general committee were Miss Dawson-Thomas, Mrs. V. H. Wilson, Miss Evanda Roome, Mr. B. Hope, Mr. H. Savage, Captain I. D. McKenzie, Messrs. E. W. Carr-Hilton, R. Corfield, A. E. Green, C. M. Galt, R. Corfield, and Douglas Carr-Hilton. The decorations in the hall were in charge of Messrs. B. Hope, E. W. Carr-Hilton, R. Corfield, W. Parker and Douglas Carr-Hilton.

The supper room decorations and the table arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Swan, assisted by Miss Dawson-Thomas, Mrs. Euston, Mrs. W. E. Corfield, Miss E. Roome and Miss Knid Gurnard.

Mr. R. R. Kirkham made a most able convener of the supper arrangements, and he had the hearty co-operation of a committee consisting of Mrs. O. T. Smythe, Mrs. H. Savage, Mrs. A. E. Green, Mrs. Corbishley, Mrs. Hickes and Mrs. E. W. Carr-Hilton.

Miss Evanda Roome was in charge of the ladies' dressing room. Music was supplied by Mrs. Smith's four-piece orchestra. The supper extras were kindly supplied by Mrs. Swan.

JAPANESE RELIEF FUND

CUMBERLAND, Oct. 11.—The following subscriptions have been forwarded to the Canadian Red Cross Society, Vancouver, for the Japanese Relief Fund: Employees C. C. (D.), C. A. Colman, \$20; T. Graham, \$25; A. E. J. Grey, \$5; Mrs. James Bond, \$5; total, \$135.50.

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Mrs. James C. Wilkinson, of 1221 Avenue "A," North Saskatchewan, Sask., writes: "My little girl was born with a bad cold, and while she was putting a plaster on her chest a friend of mine came in and said, 'Put some Vicks VapoRub on her chest.' I asked her what it was. She had just come from the States and said, 'Everybody in the States swears by Vicks.' She said she always kept it in the house, and she always gave it to me. I did so, my little girl got well, and I believe I would not be without Vicks for Vicks VapoRub, the discovery of a British drug, is a combination in salve form of Camphor, Menthol, Eucalyptus, Thymol, Turpentine, etc. It has been a popular remedy in the States for many years. Absorbed through the skin, and at the same time inhaled as a vapor, it reaches immediately the lungs, and the result is a remarkable relief in the throat. Over 17 million jars used yearly. (A.S.V.)

TO RAISE FUNDS FOR NEW MISSION HALL

Sale of Work by Happy Valley Ladies' Aid at the Trinity Mission on Wednesday

HAPPY VALLEY, Oct. 13.—A sale of work, under the auspices of the Happy Valley Ladies' Aid, has been arranged to take place in the lecture room of the Trinity Mission Hall, on Wednesday, October 17, at 2 p.m. The sale will be declared open by Mrs. A. de B. Owen, and support has been promised by the Mayor and Mayoress of Victoria. In addition to the plain and fancywork departments, stalls are being set apart for the sale of merchandise and toys, the latter including a fine doll's house; farm produce, including a small live pig and a goat; also a home-cooking stall, and the ever popular bran tub. Afternoon teas will be served in a separate room.

Halted by War

The proceeds of the sale will be devoted to the completion of the construction of the new mission hall, which was dedicated in May of 1914, when, owing to the outbreak of the late war, the edifice was unable to be completed, although fortunately the building had progressed sufficiently for the holding of Gospel services therein.

The worshippers at this uncompleted hall, headed by their energetic pastor, Rev. W. W. Winter, are very desirous of accomplishing its completion during the present year. If possible, the inside of the assembly hall is as yet unfinished, and also the Sunday school rooms. The hall itself requires the covering of the exterior with finished boards, and the lecture room and ante-rooms need the second layer of floor boards, as also does the balcony. It is estimated that the sum of \$150 will be needed to pay for the materials, towards which the committee has in hand \$34.47.

Aid for Good Work

All contributions towards the amount required to complete the good work will be much appreciated and gratefully acknowledged by the officers in charge, Rev. W. W. Winter, W. S. Day, honorary treasurer, and Captain F. W. Baker, honorary secretary. Many handsome gifts have already been granted for use in the mission hall, including an electroplated communion service, by Bishop Willard Brewster, D.D.; fifty prayer books from the Sunday School of Emmanuel Church, Ottawa; Bibles for the Sunday School, a free grant from the Trinitarian Bible Society, London, England; a fine baptismal font, by Messrs. Lemon, Gossnass & Company, Victoria; table linen for the communion service, by the Robert Simpson Co., Regina; a surplice and scarf, from Rev. A. de B. Owen; carved finial, by Mr. Fred Showers, and panel mouldings by Mr. Carey.

Specific Needs

Specific needs now include a small Gothic chancel chair, chairs for the vestry, a simple lectern, and a church hymn book, with tune books. In view of the splendid work which is being accomplished by Mr. Winter, and his devoted parishioners, it is hoped that as many Victoria citizens as possible will endeavor to spend half a day in the country, which would not only prove enjoyable, but would help forward a good cause. The surrounding districts are also cordially invited to attend this well-organized sale, their presence being much appreciated by the enterprising committee.

SIDNEY BOARD OF TRADE HOLDS SESSION

SIDNEY, Oct. 12.—The usual monthly meeting of the Sidney Board of Trade was held in the Wesley Hall on Tuesday night. President E. Blackburn was in the chair. The chairman called for a standing vote of sympathy with the relatives of the late Mr. C. T. Cross. Mr. Cross had been associated with the Board in its work, and his untimely death was deeply regretted.

A letter of thanks was received from Mr. A. Wheeler in response to a letter of sympathy in his recent bereavement, sent him by the Board.

An invitation from the Esquimalt Board of Trade to a banquet in aid of the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt, was read. The secretary was asked to communicate with the Esquimalt Board, when final arrangements could be made.

The Board endorsed a petition addressed to Premier Oliver and members of the Executive Council from the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, outlining plans for increased industrial expansion and increased publicity in the interests of tourist trade.

A letter was received from Dr. H. E. Young regarding the using of the ditches for overflow sewage.

A resolution was sent to the Publicity Works Department regarding the surplus water being drained into Wellers' swamp, requesting that an outlet be provided to the sea.

A letter was read from a resident of Roberts' Bay protesting against the nuisance caused by a pile of rubbish. As a petition had been received from a number of residents some time ago regarding the same thing, it was decided to send a resolution to Premier Oliver asking that immediate and drastic steps be taken to abate the nuisance.

PORT ALBERNI NOTES

PORT ALBERNI, Oct. 12.—The Port Alberni brass band held a concert in the G.W.V.A. hall last night. Vocal and instrumental solos, duets and quartets were rendered by members of the band and other local talent. The proceeds will go towards the band funds.

Mr. Frank M. Warner, who has just returned from a visit to Lanark, near Chicago, to see his father who was seriously ill, received a telegram yesterday that his father had passed away on Tuesday.

A smuggling case was heard before Magistrate J. A. MacIntyre yesterday when F. Matoba, third officer on the Japanese boat SS. Koshun Maru, which is loading timber at the Alberni Pacific Lumber Company plant, was charged with unlawfully bringing goods into the Dominion.

Weir was charged with selling these goods, knowing them to have been unlawfully brought into the country. Weir was sentenced to thirty days' imprisonment. Matoba was fined \$100, the fine being paid.

The charges were laid at the instance of Mr. Fred Street, sub-collector of customs at this port, and the goods in question, suitcases containing silk, were seized and are held by the customs department.

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SEED PRODUCTION AND CITIZENSHIP

ROTARY CLUB COMBINES THESE UNDER COMPETITION

Big Silver Trophy and Other Prizes Will Be Granted to Boys and Girls Winning Awards

The Rotary contest in seed production and citizenship, inaugurated in 1918 by the Victoria Rotary Club, and in which the big silver cup forms the main interest in life to some dozen or so enthusiastic boys and girls who have caught the vision of citizenship as the aim and end of all their activities, will, this year, be one of the main features of the Seed Potato Exhibition, which takes place on November 15, under the direction of Cecil Rice, of the Department of Agriculture.

The success of this venture in the practical education of the youth of Greater Victoria has attracted the attention of the community leaders by results alone, if through no other form of appeal. For example, the majority of the successful entries in the garden seeds class at the Willows Fair consisted of past and present candidates in the Rotary contest, or their relatives, while the winner of the second prize in the contest last year came first against all odds in the open class for seeds at the Saanichton Fair. Unfortunately, this class was eliminated from the prize list this year, or doubtless the prize would have gone again to the young citizen who so successfully defeated his competitors of a preceding generation last year.

The success of these young people came to the ears of the New Westminster Fair Board, and while it was rather late in the day to meet the occasion this year, they included a special class in this year's prize list, and are making a section to meet this new but rapidly developing branch of agriculture in next year's list.

Additional Prizes
Owing to these and other convincing results, which have occurred from time to time since the contest was started, it has received general recognition that it has received the Mayor's support in the form of the second prize of a silver medal, while Mr. Sam Drake, ex-Rector of Oak Bay, is donating a bronze medal as a third prize. Other prizes of value to young gardeners will be given by Rotarians to worthy candidates.

While the more ostensible results of the contest appeal to the men of affairs, the chief value of the contest is known only to the organizers of this movement. This is the development of the candidates in those qualities of citizenship which stamp them as the coming men and women of their community. It is a gratifying feature of the contest that those who have shown the highest capacity for initiative and achievement in this work were, up to the time that their interest was directed into the art of seed production, decidedly backward in their school work, and, in one or

two cases, out of harmony with their home life, also. The result in every case has been very favorable—in fact, two principals report that those who had become interested in this work had advanced in an almost surprising way in their studies.

Citizenship Side
The result is brought about by the "citizenship" side of the contest. Many a boy who can work well with his hands lacks fundamentally in ideals and mental power generally, just as those who predominate in mental accomplishments often lack executive ability. The Rotary contest for seed production and citizenship, however, aims for a balance of faculties. The candidates must be not only honest, capable gardeners, but keen thinkers as well, with the highest ideals comprehensible to themselves as well as those who are watching their development.

The credits which decide the successful candidates are, therefore, given for four distinct phases of the work, each of which is necessary for practical success in after life. These are the sowing of the seed, which is done twice during the summer to ensure absolute fairness. Then, there is the exhibition, which is a quality test and indicates the capacity to finish the production end of the work, e.g., threshing, cleaning, packing and labeling. Then comes a diary of the methods followed and, last but not least, three essays on the relation of the work of seed production to good citizenship. The points given in the order named are 30, 20 and 20, making a total of 100 credits for the completed work.

Labeling the Seeds
The seeds should be labeled with the following items of information:

(a) Sort of seed, stating whether annual, biennial or perennial.
(b) Horticultural name.
(c) Variety, giving type, if possible.
(d) Source of parent stock.

(e) District in which seed was raised; also the date of bottling or sacking sample should be in the top right-hand corner and the exhibitor's name in the bottom right-hand corner.

The diary should contain such items as the dates of planting out or sowing the stock, time which bloom appeared, date of harvesting, etc.; methods adopted in cultivation, etc.; whether irrigation has been practiced; type of soil plants were grown in, and any other point of interest essential to the work. A plan of the plot, showing arrangement of growing crop must be included, while photographs in this connection are a valuable addition.

Must Submit Essays
Three essays on subjects related to seed production and citizenship must be submitted with the exhibit. Two of these are on the following standard topics:

(1) Why seed production and good citizenship go hand in hand.
(2) Why Greater Victoria is particularly adapted to the art of seed production.

The third may be chosen from the following list of subjects:
(a) The importance of selection and roguing in seed production.



George Arliss, Alice Joyce, Harry T. Morey and David Powell in a Scene From "The Green Goddess," the Feature Presentation at the Dominion Theatre This Week.

GOOD WORK NEVER ALLOWED TO LAG

Reports of Saanich Health Centre Show Continued Progress Is Being Made

ROYAL OAK, Oct. 13.—That the work of the Saanich Memorial Health Centre is never allowed to lag was shown by the splendid report of the month's work laid before the board of management at its recent regular meeting.

A total of 1,735 nursing visits were paid during the month of September, including attention to Metropolitan nursing, visits to new and old cases, social service, school inspection, instructive and supervising little mother classes, as well as home nursing classes have received instruction during this period.

Interested residents have been most kind and the centre acknowledges with thanks donations from Mrs. Hafer, Mrs. Thomsen, Mrs. Ingram, Mrs. Kinnaird, Mrs. West, Mrs. MacQueen, Mrs. Mackay, Mr. Pallister, Mrs. Guersey, Miss Oldfield and Mrs. Smith. A particularly welcome gift came from Mrs. Winkler, who presented the health centre with a beautifully made infant's layette.

An offer to assist in beautifying the grounds of the centre was accepted, with thanks, from Professor Straight, of the Experimental Station at Sidney.

The Women's Auxiliary carried out the plastering of the ground floor rooms for the use of the domestic staff.

EAST SOOKE PIG BREEDERS ORGANIZE

Special Meeting Decides to Form Organization and Elects Officers—Potato Fair Exhibit

EAST SOOKE, Oct. 13.—A special meeting was held at Quichland by kind permission of Mr. Eddy on Friday night at 8 o'clock, when the formation of a Pig Breeders' Association was fully discussed. Eventually it was decided in favor of having such an organization, and the officers were elected as follows: President, Mr. Eddy; vice-president, Mr. F. Caffery; directors, Mr. H. Thorne and Mr. P. Brown; secretary-treasurer, Mr. A. Wicker.

Mr. Gillespie was formally appointed caretaker to the board and it will be kept at Glenairley. Nine members joined, and it is hoped that others may follow their example. Those present were: Mrs. Eddy, Lady Emily Walker, Messdames Donaldson, Brown, Thorne, C. Pike, Jr., Miss Buff, Messrs. Eddy, Donaldson, Frank Caffery, W. Caffery, Burnett, Wicker, Brown, C. Pike, Jr.

Refreshments were enjoyed at the close, and then dancing was indulged in. At the meeting it was also decided what potatoes should be sent in for the district exhibit, and eight growers gave in their names.

Brigadier General Fries, of the United States chemical warfare service, declares that gassing does not cause tuberculosis.

STRONG BID MADE FOR BIG CONVENTION

Telegrams to San Francisco Gathering of American Legion Will Invite Veterans Next Year

A strong bid for the 1924 convention of the American Legion, a huge organization of ex-service men, is being made by the city of Victoria. At this year's convention, which opens in San Francisco today, telegrams of invitation from the Premier, Mayor and various bodies in Victoria will be read, and assurance has been given that the State of Washington members of the legion will support this city's invitation.

Mr. Aubrey H. C. Jones, past president of the Great War Veterans' Association here, met American Legion leaders in Seattle, and learned from them that it was planned to hold the 1924 convention in Paris, the plan being to charter steamers specially for the occasion. Mr. Jones suggested that the legion meet in Canada before crossing the ocean, and the idea found an immediate favorable response.

The result was that action was taken here to make as strong a bid as possible at the San Francisco gathering for next year's convention. Yesterday telegrams in support of the move were dispatched by Premier Oliver, Mayor Hayward, the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, and Mr. George I. Warren, executive secretary of the Chamber.

It is anticipated that the San Francisco convention will be attended by 150,000 veterans from all parts of the United States.

RURI-DECANAL CONFERENCE

CUMBERLAND, Oct. 11.—On St. Luke's Day, Oct. 18th, a ruri-decanal conference, Comox Deanery, will be held at Holy Trinity, Cumberland. There will be celebration of Holy Communion at 10:30, after which a general business session will be held. Two papers, one by a layman, "Fellowship in the Church," and "The Anglican Church," by Canon Leakey. In the evening there will be a choral evensong, when the combined choirs of St. John, Courtenay, and Holy Trinity, Cumberland, will render special music, after which two illustrated addresses will be delivered—Rev. A. W. Coker, Alert Bay, on "Indian Work," and Rev. A. D. Greene, Quathlaski Cove, on "Scattered Settlers."

FIRE AT CUMBERLAND

CUMBERLAND, Oct. 11.—Fire broke out at the store of Charlie Sing Chong, Chinatown, Cumberland, about 2:45 a.m. on Thursday. The local brigade made a quick run and soon had a good stream of water playing on the building. The fire had gained a good hold before the alarm was turned in, a great deal of damage being done, the stock and building being a total loss.

CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENTAL ORDERS

No. 18—Battalion Orders

By Lieut.-Colonel H. M. Urquhart, D.S.O., M.C., A.D.C., commanding 1st Battalion (14th Bn., C.E.F.), the Canadian Scottish Regiment, Victoria, B.C., October 12, 1923:

Notice
A regimental smoking concert, for all members of the battalion and their friends, will be held at the Armories on Tuesday, October 16, commencing at 8:15 p.m. Dress: Service dress. Both pipe and brass bands will attend.

Appointments, Promotions and Resignations

The following extract from A. P. & R. No. 22, 1923, is published for information:

Canadian Chaplain Service—Chaplain and Honorary Captain Rev. J. Campbell is retired, and is granted the honorary rank of major on retirement May 25, 1923.

Resignation of Rank—The undermentioned non-commissioned officer relinquishes the rank of company quartermaster-sergeant at his own request from this date: C.Q.M.S. David Pyrie, No. 3, to sergeant, October 12, 1923.

Appointments—The undermentioned non-commissioned officer is appointed regimental sergeant-tailor, with effect from the date stated against his name: Sergeant David Pyrie, No. 3, sergeant-tailor, October 12, 1923.

W. MERSTON,
Captain and Adjutant.

ELEVENTH CANADIAN MACHINE GUN BRIGADE



No. 1 Company: Orders

Drill will be held by the above unit on Tuesday next, October 16, at 8 p.m., at the new Drill Hall.

All members are earnestly requested to attend.

C. E. BALI, Major
O.C. No. 1 Co., 11th C.M.G. Bde.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH

CUMBERLAND, Oct. 11.—The jury inquiring into the death of Ho Mow, Chinaman, who was killed at No. 4 mine, Cumberland, on October 10, returned a verdict of accidental death. In his evidence, Firehouse Sid Horwood said he inspected the place at 1 a.m. on October 10, and found the place well timbered and from all appearances in good safe condition for working.

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COMMUNITY CONCERTS REVIVE AT ARMORIES

One Thousand People Crowd Floor
of Drill Hall at Opening
Dance of Winter

In auspicious fashion the community concerts initiated with such success last winter were resumed at the Armories last night. Approximately one thousand people, including grey-bearded grandfathers, youths in their teens, small boys, hosts of girls, and even young matrons with babes in arms, were on the floor, and all were in high spirits.

A truly royal welcome was given the revival of the Saturday night gatherings, and the Fifth Regiment, under whose auspices the entertainments are held, looks forward confidently to a banner season.

Last winter the crowds sometimes reached the two thousand mark, a figure that will be exceeded during the coming months, according to last night's indications. The community concerts are growing in such favor that it is evident that the attendance will be limited only by the capacity of the hall.

The Fifth Regiment orchestra, under Bandmaster Albert Rumsby, supplied the music for the dancing, and was as generous as tuneful.

KIRKHAM'S STAFF WILL HOLD BANQUET AND DANCE THIS MONTH

On Thursday evening, October 25, in the Chamber of Commerce Rooms, the staff of H. O. Kirkham & Company, Limited, will hold a banquet, to be followed by a social dance. The banquet will commence at 7 o'clock and will be of a private nature, only members of the staff attending, while the dance, beginning at 9 o'clock, will include the staff and its friends.

Professor Ozard's orchestra has been engaged for the occasion, and will play the latest waltzes and fox trot melodies, from 9 o'clock to 1 a.m.

As there are many friends who have expressed a desire to attend the dance, the committee in charge of arrangements wish to announce that a limited number of invitations will be available. Tickets may be obtained from members of the staff at either the Fort Street or Yates Street stores.

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C.P.R. SOCIAL CLUB ARRANGES CARD GAME FOR TUESDAY EVENING

A military 500 game, under the auspices of the C.P.R. Club, will be held in the private dining-room of the Empress Hotel on Tuesday evening, October 16, at 8:30 prompt. The card committee wishes it to be understood that the game is to start promptly on time. They desire to let all players have a comfortable game without any rushing during the evening; therefore all C.P.R. members and friends are requested to be seated and ready to start promptly at 8:30, and so avoid disappointment. The usual good scrip prizes will be given, and a pleasant evening is anticipated.

The dance committee has mailed a large number of invitations to the series of dances to be held during the ensuing season in the Empress Hotel ballroom, under the auspices of the C.P.R. Social Club. The first of these dances takes place on Thursday evening, October 18, and a good turnout is expected. Dancing commences at 8:30 and continues to 11:30. The usual delightful music will be supplied by a five-piece orchestra under the leadership of Professor Ozard.

ELECTS YEAR'S OFFICERS

At a meeting of the Victoria West Parent-Teachers' Association, held in the assembly hall of the school on Friday, the following officers were elected for the current year: President, Mr. Guy; first vice-president, Mr. Macrae; second vice-president, Mr. Daniels; secretary-treasurer, Mr. Simpson; executive committee, Mrs. Raynor, Mrs. Guy, Mrs. Mercer, Miss Anderson, Miss Smith, Mr. Hunkin, Mr. Baxter and Mr. Saunders; pianist, Mrs. Campbell.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded the retiring officers, and it was suitably responded to by Mr. Waller, the late president of the association.

It was decided to hold, at the next regular meeting of the association on Tuesday, November 13, the annual social evening of the association, and it is hoped that as many as possible will keep this date open, in order to make that night a success. A hearty welcome is assured to all parents of the district and other adults who are interested. Further particulars regarding this social will be announced in due course.

During the evening, in addition to the showing of some films by the school cinema, the Misses May Sears, Marie Williams, Phyllis Williams and Cecilia Lewis rendered selections in a very excellent manner, and which were very much enjoyed by all present. It is hoped that they will be heard again at some future meeting.

GOLDEN GATE CAFE OPENS

Added to the number of splendid restaurants in this city, is the Golden Gate Cafe, just opened in the reconstructed Goodacre Block, 60-9 Johnson Street. Mr. E. Lennax, the well-known proprietor, is a firm believer in the future of Victoria, and has supported his convictions by furnishing at a great expense a very attractive cafe.

A special compartment has been provided for the convenience of the ladies, and it is the intention of the management to give most excellent service, which will be under his personal supervision.

Mr. Lennax has a wide acquaintance and is well known as a very capable caterer to the travelling public. He presides that next season will see the largest tourist travel that the island has yet witnessed.

WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES

Progressive Conservatives—The Progressive Conservative Club will hold a military five hundred and dance in the Caledonia Hall, View Street, on Wednesday next, October 17. The members of the society much regret that the patrons of last week were delayed so long before the card game could be started. Everything is now well in hand, and they will esteem it a favor if those coming for cards will be seated by 8:30, so that play may be started by 8:50. This will enable more time for dancing. Late visitors will be welcomed to the dance. Finder's orchestra will supply up-to-date music. Three prizes will be held on Tuesday evening at headquarters at 8 o'clock. Also four free tombolas. A special meeting of the club will be held at the Balmoral Hotel tomorrow evening at 7:30. All members are asked to attend.

Entertainments—Miss Nellie Lugin made a very charming hostess last evening when she entertained at her home, 870 Esquimalt Road, for the Kuntuka Club, the event taking the form of a welcome home to three members, Mrs. Sanderson-Mongin, Miss Alma Russell and Miss E. Bruce, who spent the summer in Europe. The reception-rooms were very prettily decorated with autumn flowers, and after each of the newcomers had given a little history of some section of the summer tour the guests repaired to the dining-room, where dainty refreshments were served. Miss Howson, the club president, presided during the more formal part of the proceedings, and at the conclusion of the evening cordially thanked Miss Lugin on behalf of the members.

L.O.B.A. Social Evening—Queen of the Island, L.O.B.A., members and friends held a most enjoyable social evening at the home of the worthy Mistress, Mrs. Eleanore, 2127 Chambers Street. The winners of the guessing contest arranged by Mrs. Stevens were: First, Miss Jessie Dunn, and second, Mr. J. H. Restall. During the evening vocal solos were rendered by Mrs. Milligan and Mrs. Restall, accompanied by Mrs. Davis and Mr. H. Porter. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Doris Eleanore, Miss Jessie Dunn and Mrs. Dinsley.

Royal Purple Auxiliary—The Ladies of the Royal Purple Auxiliary to the B.P.O.E., will hold the first of their regular monthly card parties and dances on Tuesday evening, October 16, 1923, at the Elks' club rooms, commencing at 8:30 o'clock. Cards from 8:30 to 10:30, and supper and dance afterwards. The ladies will be pleased to welcome back all their old friends after the summer vacation, and request them to bring their friends, who will also be made welcome by the committee.

L.G. for Sailors—The Ladies Guild for Sailors will hold a commemorative tea on Saturday, October 20, in the Hudson's Bay Co.'s dining room. There will be tables for bridge, five hundred and mah jong. Players are

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asked to bring their own cards and sets. Play will commence at 3 o'clock sharp. The price will include tea, and visitors will be welcomed at the 1st hour. Phone 40191 for tables. Mrs. Henry Crane, 861 Broughton Street, is convener.

Lutheran Ladies—The Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of Grace English Lutheran Church, Blanshard Street, held a largely attended meeting on October 11, when Madames Wencott, Menzies and Willie were received into membership. Plans were made and the date set for the annual sale of work, to be held in the church on Wednesday, December 5, afternoon and evening.

Court Maple Leaf—The ladies of Court Maple Leaf, A.O.F., are meeting at the home of Sister Penner, 1734 Denman Street, on Thursday evening for the purpose of making further plans for their coming bazaar which they are holding on December 7 and 8, and also for the big masquerade dance to be held in the Chamber of Commerce on November 13. All members are welcome and refreshments will be served during the evening.

Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter—A meeting of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held on Tuesday evening at headquarters at 8 o'clock. As matters of great importance to the chapter are to be discussed, it is hoped there will be a large attendance present. Arrangements for the tag day to be held on November 3, in aid of the milk fund, will be made.

R. B. McMicking Chapter—The R. B. McMicking Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold the first of its popular dances this season on Wednesday evening at the K. of C. Hall. Ozard's orchestra will be in attendance and tickets may be obtained from members of the chapter, who hope to welcome their many friends upon this occasion.

Liberal-Conservative Club—The Women's Liberal Conservative Club will meet on Tuesday evening in the clubrooms, Campbell Building, Mr. W. J. Bower will be the speaker for the evening. Members are urgently requested to be present. The members have the privilege of inviting a friend.

Court Triumph, A.O.F.—The ladies of Court Triumph, A.O.F., will meet on Friday night for initiation of new members. Following the business session a lucky dip social will take place, with Sister Peters in charge, and refreshments will be donated and served by the social committee.

Missionary Society—The regular meeting of the Metropolitan Women's Missionary Society will be held in the

lecture-room of the Metropolitan Methodist Church at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of Monday, October 15. A good programme has been arranged, and a large attendance is anticipated.

Court Whist—Members of Royal Review, No. 18, W.B.A., will hold a court whist party at 1230 Government Street on Wednesday, at 7:30 p.m. Prizes will be given and there will also be a tombola. A rummage sale will be held on Saturday morning.

Columbia W.A.—The monthly meeting of the Diocesan Board will

be held on Friday, October 19, at St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, the morning session commencing at 11 o'clock, afternoon session 2 o'clock.

Mooseheart Legion—The Women of Mooseheart Legion will hold a silver tea on Wednesday at 3 p.m. at the home of Legionnaire E. Mitchell, 1219 Princess Avenue. All legionnaires are asked to attend and bring a friend.

Catholic Women's League—The Catholic Women's League will hold its regular monthly meeting at 3 p.m. Wednesday, in the Knights of Columbus Hall.



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Girls' 1 and 1 Rib Silk Lisle Hose, with seamless feet, black, cordovan and black; sizes 5 to 10. Priced according to size, 50c and.....**75c**

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Simmons White Enamel Beds, with continuous posts. Each bed fitted with double woven wire spring, and all-felt mattress; all standard sizes. Golden Value at, each.....**\$21.00**

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The Colonist's Pictorial Page



These fair razor wielders of Atlanta are cutting deeply into the trade of the shops run by the stronger sex who are feeling the keen edge of competition.



This dinner gown that obtains a smart air by its very simplicity is made of grey pussy willow satin cut along straight lines. Beaded embroidery is the only trimming.



In the Fiji Islands the natives don't have to wear headgear when they play football because of their heavy crop of hair. They are also able to punt the pigskin without the heavy clodded shoes worn by Canadian players.



Who said Luis Angel Firpo wouldn't smile? Just look at the way the Argentine heavyweight beamed upon these two young ladies during his recent visit to Montreal.



Sheep dogs from England, Scotland and Wales met in York recently in the qualifying trials of the sheep penning competition. The intelligence displayed by the dogs in handling their charges is said to be remarkable.



A giant transport plane propelled by four motors and weighing in all about six tons, crashed outside of Paris recently and went up in flames. The crew had a miraculous escape from injury.



Hungary's foremost statesman, Count Albert Apponyi and his daughter, Countess Marika, arrived on this continent recently. He is to deliver a series of lectures on European affairs.



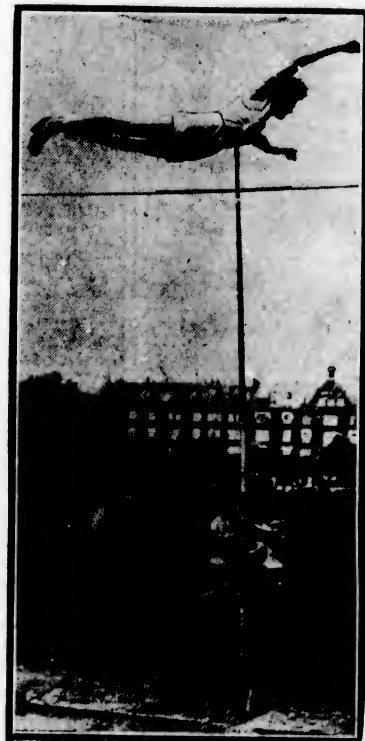
Considered one of the most beautiful women in Rumania, Princess Helen Cantacuzene is soon to make her first appearance on the stage in Paris.



Just when Mrs. Robert N. Gamble inherited a million she reported to the police that her two children and divorced husband were missing. Perhaps her million made some difference for they have now returned.



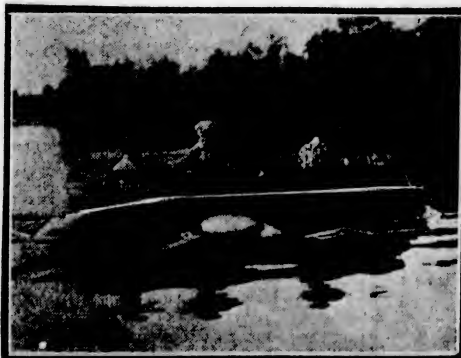
This ermine opera cloak and pearl headdress make an effective combination. The collar and trimming are made of black fox.



Charles Hoff, famous Norwegian athlete, is said to be the greatest pole vaulter of the century. He is seen clearing the bar at 4.21 meters, which is believed to be a world's record.



Workmen are now busily engaged in London, England, relaying the road in Whitehall with rubber blocks round the cenotaph. When the work is completed the noise made by passing traffic will be abated.



This Italian non-submersible motor boat has been built for nervous passengers. It has made its appearance on the River Po, near Milan.



The prize in this contest is in the eating. Young English sailors off the training ship Warspite are seen competing in the apple and treacle race at their annual sports.



A Whaling Station

Edited by WALTER HARVEY

HERE is a letter which a little girl in Victoria received the other day from her Daddy, who is at one of the whaling stations on one of the Queen Charlotte Islands. None of her friends, to whom it was read, thought it very interesting, and so, perhaps, some other children who read 'The Sunday Colonist' will enjoy it, too.

..... Harbor.

My own dear little girl—
21st August, 1923.
I was delighted and very pleased to get your nice letter. You have had a long holiday and must get back to your lessons now and work real hard and keep your place in school.

I have made a sketch plan of this plant, and if you will look over it we will pretend to take a walk and I will tell you about it. Now if you are ready, look for No. 1 on the plan, and we will start there. No. 1 is the ship, and the end of it runs out into deep water, and you notice the rope on the ship starting from the winch (No. 2). Well, the Jap foreman, Irio, tells one of his men to make fast the end of the rope (which is really a strong wire cable) round the tail of a whale which is floating at the end of the ship. One of the stout little whaling steamers which you have seen lying during the winter just by the Point Ellice Bridge, had harpooned the whale miles away out in the open ocean and towed it into the ship here. So, out goes a little Jap called Kinnotta, and fastens the rope. When all is ready, he calls out to Irio the foreman, who tells another little Jap called Tamaaki to start the winch. Away it goes, winding up the cable and pulling the whale closer



Hauling a Whale onto the Ship

and closer, and pretty soon the tail comes up on the ship. The winch must keep on pulling till the whole whale is right up on the deck. But now, here comes four more Japs running down the ship as soon as the tail comes on the boards out of the water. They have great knives on long handles, and they start in cutting the whale as it comes in, so that by the time it is pulled up, so that its skin and blubber is all cut in long slices, the full length of the animal's body and about ten inches deep. This is called flensing, and the men are called flensers. Their names are Kato, Ilego, Seto and Kuroki.

Now the great animal is all up on No. 3, and they fix a hook in one of the slices at the far end and the winch starts again and pulls the whale off, and so they go on, one piece after another, until the big body of the whale lies there without its skin and blubber.

As soon as the first slice is pulled off, Woo, the Chinkey foreman, and his gang of warriors attack it with knives and cut it all up into small pieces and then into No. 4, which is a slicing machine, and it cuts them up still smaller, and then they are fed into a boiler, where all the oil is boiled out of them, and goes into the tanks marked No. 5.

While Woo and his gang, Loo Chong, Quock Pong, Ling Hong, Yu Yin and others are doing this, Irio, the Jap foreman, is fixing another edible to the carcass of the whale, and another winch, away off at right angles on floor No. 1, starts pulling. Away it goes, and the big "rib" with or sixty tons, is dragged up the second slip (No. 6) on to the floor (No. 7). Now there is another rush of Japs, Matsune, Yamaaki, Mamoto, Nakamura and many others, all with big knives. They cut the meat off in great chunks, and here are their helpers, more Chinkeys, Mah Hong, Loo Wing, Cong Jim, Dang Song and Wong Kling, each of them armed with a big iron rod with a hook on the end. They hook on to the chunks of meat and put them in the tanks (No. 8), where it boils and boils away, and while it is boiling we will walk away and have lunch. The 12 o'clock whistle has blown. We go down the steps (No. 9), start away for the bunkhouse, and everyone is running.

Hallo! What are these running round the office? Why, three sweet little kittens, two grey and one black one. They are two months old and belong to Mr. Anderson, the foreman. There he is at the door calling you. He wants to show you all his pets. Look at them! Twelve little bunny rabbits and two old ones. Oh, yes, and here is his dog "Toby" coming running, too. But come along or lunch will be all gobbled up. This big building on the right is the Jap bunkhouse. They have a pet pig. Perhaps you shall see it later. Next comes the Chinkey house. They have a lot of pigs and ducks and chickens. That nice little cottage with the garden is the English (Mr. Cole's) quarters. You will meet him at lunch.

Now, here we are! Who is this funny little Chink who is dressed all in white and bows and smiles at you?

He is Toy, our cook, and a very good cook, too.
Here we are, Mr. Helle at the head of the table, Mrs. H. on his right, you on his left, next Mr. Cole the engineer, and I am at the other end of the table with their daughter Roole on my right. She goes to the convent school and expects to pass into the high school next year. Here comes Toy with the soup, cream of tomato. We have plenty of cream and milk from the tin cow. Now follows boiled halibut or roast beef, and apple pie to finish. We all feel nice and comfy now. There goes the whistle again. All back to work. We walk slowly along and call in to see the blacksmith, Mr. Hansen. It takes longer to go back to work than it did to get to lunch when the 12 o'clock whistle blew. I wonder why? Mr. Hansen is the father of seventeen girls home in Norway. He shows us some nice things he has made. Walking sticks, cribbage boards, model harpoons, hunting knives—What's that he says? If you let him have a piece of paper the size of your finger he will make you a nice time. Thank you, Mr. Hansen. I will send it along in my next letter.

Now we go back up the steps at No. 9 and find the meat in tanks (No. 8) boiling away in great style. As soon as the oil is boiled out of it, it is run off into the big tanks you see at No. 10.
The poor old whale has had his skin or blubber stripped off and all his meat cut off, and now nothing but his bones remain on the floor. Great big bones! Now here come Irio and his men with crosscut saws. Long saws with a handle at each end and a Jap to each handle. They saw the bones up into small pieces, then Woo and his Chinks carry the pieces and throw them into the "digester," or pot (No. 11). They are boiled and boiled, and a lot more oil is extracted from them, and this oil from the bones is very good quality.

We have the oil now in tanks (No. 10) and we have to get it ready to ship away. Look at yard (No. 12). See a lot of empty drums (iron barrels) they have half a ton of oil each. The Jappy boys roll them round under the oil cocks of No. 10 and fill them, and then store them on yard (No. 13).

The meat after the oil is run off (you remember we put the meat in No. 8 to boil), is dried and crushed into a fine powder by a big machine that lives in No. 14. When he finishes with it he blows it through a long tube into No. 2 shed, where two Chinks are waiting. Kong Jim and the Jap foreman, Irio, take the powder, stuff them up, and pack them away in No. 1 shed ready for the boat to take them away.

The bone, after taking the oil from it, is carried round to a big heap by the bone-crusher shed, and later it will be crushed up into powder and put into sacks. All the stuff, crushed bones and powdered meat, in bags, is "fertilizer," used by farmers to make their plants, grasses, etc., grow. Well, now, that's that. The machinery must run well and smoothly, and Mr. Cole, whom you met at lunch, is all the time looking after, watching, repairing and mending, so that there will be no hitch in his department.

But his machinery will not work without steam to drive it, so we will go round and see Mr. Anderson at No. 15, who owns all the pots. He is the foreman, and has charge of the three big boilers which supply the steam to run the machinery. There he is, Mr. Anderson at the fire, shining on, and a long rake in his hands. The door of the fire-box is open, and you can feel the heat where we stand. He is taking out clinkers, and a ton will burn brightly and keep up the steam. He shovels about eight tons of coal every day into the fire-boxes of those three boilers, and it keeps two Chinks hard at work, one wheeling in coal to him and the other wheeling away clinkers.

You see the huge tank beside the boiler house. We will call it No. 15. This tank holds about 7,000 gallons of water, and every day the boilers require three tanks full. That would be 21,000 gallons. Mr. Cole makes the machinery ready to run; Mr. Anderson fires the boilers to make the steam, and it is collected in a large pond or dam, and is brought down to the works through wooden pipes. The coal is brought from Ladysmith or Nanaimo by the S.R. Gray and unloaded into a shoot at the end of the wharf (No. 17), and you can see two lines running up the wharf. These are the cables, and a car runs on them under the shoot, is filled with coal and pulled away to No. 18, where the coal is dumped close to the boiler shed.

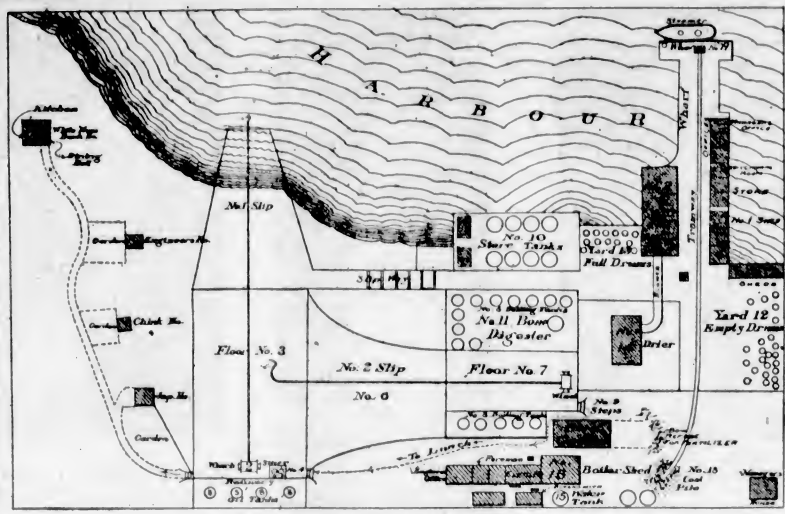
Your Daddy hopes to get a trip on one of the whalers and see them shoot a whale. If I do I will write and tell you all about it.
Don't forget to send the size of your finger to Mr. Hansen.
Bye-bye, etc. Ever your loving Daddy.

DADDY.

Readers of the Bible

Every year, according to the records of the British and Foreign Bible Society, 8,597,384 copies of the Scriptures in whole or in part are sold. In 1922, one hundred and fifty-seven years ago, there were only 11,187 copies issued.
It is said very often that young people in this country and in the United States are growing up in ignorance of the wisdom and knowledge contained in the Bible. Though it circulates in many lands which at the beginning of the last century were unchristianized, the story told by this great publishing agency seems to show that there are many more Bible readers than some good people suspect.

—Katherine Tynan Hinkson.



Plan of the Whaling Station Described in the Accompanying Article

A New Atlantic Submarine Telegraph

After many failures the first telegraph cable under the Atlantic Ocean was laid on September 1, 1866. The first message had been sent eight years before from Heart's Content, in Newfoundland, to Valentia, in the southwest coast of Ireland. It read: "Europe and America are united. Glory to God in the highest, on earth peace, goodwill toward men!"

The hopes of the great scientists who had worked long and patiently were disappointed, for after working a short time the cable became useless. There was, however, no thought of turning back, and after eight years of labor constant communication was established between England and America.

In recent years the greater Pacific Ocean has been crossed by telegraph cables; several more Atlantic cables have been laid, and there are few seacoast places to which messages cannot be sent.

As you all know, Signor Marconi, a great Italian, has shown the world that messages may be sent across land and sea without the aid of wires.

At the end of the last century, when the world was so small, the cable saved many lives and much property. Only the smallest boats venture out to sea without wireless operators. All the secrets about the wonder-worker, Electricity, have not yet been discovered.

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A Lover of Children

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Oh! fond and true, as lovers do, we kissed and clasped and parted, And I went up and he went down, refreshed and happy-hearted.

What need was there for any words, His face against my face? And in the silence heart to heart spoke for a little space.

Of tender things and thoughts on wings and secrets none discover; And I went up and he went down, a pair of happy lovers.

His clasping arms about my neck, What need was there for words? A little heart that beat so fast, like mine, was fluttering bird.

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The Circus

EVERYONE was excited in the small but picturesque village of Martville. A circus was in town, and as it was the first that had ever been there, of course everyone was wanting to go.

There was one little girl in particular who wanted very badly to see it. Her name was Mavis Handell. Mavis had no father, and her mother (who was very poor) earned a little money by taking in washing and sewing. Although Mavis wanted to go to the circus she knew there was little chance in her home to get the money necessary for the admission.

It was the day before the circus, and Mavis had been thinking of the circus for some time. She had mentioned the coming of the circus to her mother, and hinted that she would like to go. Her mother said to her kindly that she was sorry, but Mavis knew the circumstances.

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help her uncle and have a chance to ride on a pony again. So it was arranged that Mavis should perform that night as "Fairy Rosebud."

The performance was going on merrily, when Mavis, flushed with excitement, stepped on the platform and mounted the glossy grey pony. She was dressed in a short, fluffy white dress with her golden curls hanging around her shoulders, and, as she did look like a little fairy.

The music started up and the pony began its graceful "dancing" around the stage. After repeating this about six times, the music and the pony ceased and Mavis knew it was ended.

Amid great applause she disappeared from the stage only to be recalled. At last, after an enjoyable evening, the circus ended, everyone praising the excellent acting of the performers, particularly that of Mavis Handell (for she had been recognized, with some surprise, by many of the people present).

At last Mavis, with her mother and uncle, was on her way home. Her uncle praised her highly, and said that he had just received word to the effect that the girl accustomed to taking the riding even as so ill that her engagement with the company would have to be severed. He further said that he had been thinking of giving Mavis the part if they were willing.

"But what about mother, uncle? I cannot leave her!"

"Of course not," said her uncle, laughing. "I have been thinking about her. My wife—yes, I am married!"—as he saw the surprise on both of his listeners' faces, "I go away on long journeys, and I was thinking if you would go and keep her company. Mary, it would be fine for all of us."

Mavis was eagerly waiting for her mother's answer, and when it did come it was a satisfactory one and made her very happy.

At the end of the week they were on their way to their new home.

"Isn't it wonderful, mother?" said Mavis, "for now we will see all the circus people and will not have to bother about the money."

And mother smiled and thanked God for His kindness towards them. Written by the Odgers, Nanaimo, B. C., aged 15.

Be Good to the Stranger

Boys and girls in the graded schools can help to make the children of the young and old happy. Some of them are very homesick. They know that they look odd. They find it hard to understand the teachers and the other children laugh when they talk or what is just as bad—they want to.

Now, at the bottom, nearly all of us are kind and true. These strangers will soon understand you if you show that you want to be friends. It is far easier for you than for the teachers to set them at their ease.

Many of you have lived here all your lives. You scarcely know what homesickness means. If you have gone away it is to friends or relatives. You cannot imagine how sore the heart of a stranger is. Homesickness is a child is brave and does not show that he cares. Often a little girl can hardly keep the tears from coming.

When recess comes do not leave the new-comer alone. You will have all the more fun if you hear the happy laugh of another.

The grown-up people are talking about doing away with the hatred that makes war. The children can show them how. As the strangers come to school, whether they are big or little, dark or fair, pretty or plain, dull or clever, make them welcome. Let your classroom be the most friendly in all the town. Every one of you can do something to welcome the stranger and make your corner of this world happier.

An Australian Enterprise

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Weih-Whish and Mene Menon

By ETHEL M. HARDIE

Bad News—Which Is Not as Bad as It Might Be

ONE day Weih-Whish sat under the alders feeling utterly wretched and miserable. It was getting cold under the alders, and that made him feel more miserable than ever. His thoughts were on a miserable subject, and he kept on getting more miserable and more miserable.

Mene Menon sat down beside him and the little boy never noticed his coming.

"Mystery is as catching as a bad cold," Mene Menon said as long as he could, then he began to sigh. "Miserable Weih-Whish!" said he. "What ever is the matter? Has Aunt Maria been worrying you again?"

"No," said the boy, "worse than that."

"Is anybody dead?" asked Mene Menon.

"No—worse than that." The little boy shook his head.

"Didn't you have any dinner?"

"Yes, two helpings of meat and two helpings of dumplings. It isn't that."

"Dear me," said the little man, "it must be serious! I can't think of anything else that would make you look as miserable as you do at this moment. Tell me your troubles, Weih-Whish."

"Oh!" said the boy, as he drew in a deep breath and breathed it out again, "this is Wednesday of the last week of the holidays. On Saturday the camp has to be broken up, and on Monday I have to go back to school."

"My Grandmother's Speckled Hen!" said Mene Menon, "is that all that's worrying you? I thought you liked school?"

"So I do," said the boy, "but you can't go to school, Mene Menon. You can't go to the city, and I won't see you ever again."

"My Grandmother's Speckled Hen!" said the little man, "What nonsense! As if a healthy boy like you can't be as happy in one place as another, and to prove it I'm going to tell you a tale about—My Grandmother's Speckled Hen—which is a favorite expression of mine."

"A certain old lady had a speckled hen that laid her an egg for breakfast every day of its life. One day the speckled hen died and the old lady vowed she could never touch an egg again. No other hen could possibly lay eggs that tasted like the speckled hen's eggs. Which," said Mene Menon, "was foolish conceit on the old lady's part. One hen's egg tastes just the same as another hen's egg, provided of course, they are laid at the same time and cooked in the same process."

Mene Menon expected the little boy to laugh, but he didn't. "I don't see what that story has to do with me going back to the city on Saturday," said he.

"Oh! don't you," said Mene Menon, "then you are not so clever as I thought you were. The old lady thought that no other hen's egg tasted like the speckled hen's egg, and you think you can't possibly be happy in any other place but camp. Crazy notions, both of them. Neither hen's egg would have tasted the same to the old lady if she had made up her mind to try it, and you can be as happy in the city as you have been here if you don't let foolish ideas get into your head."

"Have it your own way," said the little boy, "but I was worrying about leaving you here. I can't have you in the city."

"Who said you can't have me in the city?" asked Mene Menon. "You can have me in the city if you want me," and with that he began to sing and rock himself backwards and forwards with his hands round his knees.

Nor place, nor person, Nor time, nor thing, Can hold Mene Menon, He comes with thought as a fairy wing.

And like a thought he's gone. He stopped and put his hand on the little boy's knee.

"Weih-Whish, when I call you here under the alders, what does my voice remind you of?"

"It reminds me of the wind in the trees," said the little boy, "the rippling of water on the shore, and of the humming of bees."

"Right," said Mene Menon, "and in the city can you not hear the wind whistling round the corner of the house and whispering down the chimney?"

The little boy nodded.

"You can hear the patter of rain-drops on the roof," continued the little man, "and after school when you walk beside the sea you can hear the sound of small waves chasing each other up the beach, can't you?"

The little boy nodded again.

"Then I shall call you in these things, Weih-Whish, and when the wind is dead and you are far from the water, I shall find another way to speak. But remember—I can have time for you only when you have time for me."

"I shall have time for you," said the little boy solemnly, "don't you have the least doubt about it? He was immensely relieved to think that his friend could visit him in the city, and lost his miserable expression almost at once.

"You say the Grown-ups are breaking up camp on Saturday?"

"Yes," said the boy "our time is short."

"Ummmm!" said the little man, "we must make the best of it. The world is wide, and we enjoy things as they come. Tomorrow, if you like, we will begin our adventure as soon as you have finished breakfast."

"I have wood to collect after breakfast," said the little boy.

"That's a detail," said his friend, "with a crack of his knobby knuckles. He cracked them again and the little boy laughed.

"I've been waiting for that laugh."

said the little man. "Now I must go. Good-bye, Weih-Whish," said he, and with a fly tug pulled the little boy's cap down over his eyes and disappeared about his evening's business.

Children to Help

The grown-ups have been trying for a long time to lessen the loss by fire. They pay firemen in every city. Forest rangers are out in the woods all summer. Nightwatchmen are paid to look after mills and other places where there is special danger of fire.

Yet there break out. Perhaps the saddest thing about the fire is the great number of little children who are burned to death or badly injured every year. You can build a new house, but who is to say how great is the loss when a child is snatched away?

Now the insurance people have got together. They have done their best to stop the fire, but have not succeeded. They want the children to help. They are going to give prizes for the best essay on the harm fire does, and the best way of preventing it.

We all know what a good friend fire is, and we all should know that it is our own fault when it hurts us or we lose by it.

There is scarcely a life lost or property destroyed but could have been saved if only people were careful. This is not always true, as the story of the earthquake in Japan teaches us. Yet even there it is believed that some of the fires could have been prevented.

Garden Notes for the Month

Removal and Care of Extracted Honey

After the honey is drawn off into containers it must be tightly sealed and kept in a dry place. Extracted honey will keep from one year to two years if kept in a suitable place. Canadian honey will granulate in winter; this may be retarded if the honey is heated before it is put into containers. Granulated honey may be brought back to its liquid state by heating at a temperature not over 155 degrees Fahr.—C. B. Berham, Dominion Apiarist.

How to Grow Flowering Bulbs for the House

The usual place for indoor storage is the cellar or the attic, or any spare room where there is darkness and ventilation, and where the temperature ranges from 40 to 50 degrees. Not only should the temperature be low, but it should not vary to a great extent.

(Experimental Farms Note)
All work in the apary has for its ultimate object the securing of a good crop, and hence the preparation of bees for winter means more than the wintering of the colony.

Colonies wintered outside should have at least three inches of packing underneath them and about their sides six to eight inches of packing on top. The economical use of straw as the packing material is the quadruple, as each colony has the warmth from its two neighbors. Colonies should be placed in their cases and packed underneath with straw. They should be covered with ten-pound hoes. For the purpose of preventing the freezing of which fine holes have been made, are considered very satisfactory.

Colonies to be placed in the cellar should be put on drift on the floor, leaving them until their Summer hives are ready to be put in. This is the best plan, and it is the best plan. This is usually in the second or third week in November.

In all preparations, the beekeeper should keep the ultimate object in view, to store the colonies in the Spring.

A. H. W. Birch, Newport, N. H.

MOST men living in the country are living there from choice, but most women living in the country are living there from their husbands' choice. A man who something farming as a business has plenty of choice in his occupation, but women from other occupations. But a woman does exactly the same sort of work whether she is in town or country. She obeys the lawback that in the country she often finds more inconvenient arrangements that have been eliminated from city life. There are, however, many women who love the country, and who recognize that they are playing a part in the development, part in the nation's development. For it is safe to say that

flowers and birds, her guidance in
planning out pretty scenes, and her
operation in the way of furnish-
ing picnic supplies for long ram-
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foundation of industriousness for
her child's life. This is the right
every child, and who knows
experience may come the poet or the
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tribute to the world by means of his art
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those who have adopted it, and
men, but the true poet who can make
men live in the minds of others as
they were memories, *muja*: always
a part of the country he loves and

If rennet tablets used are too old, they may not be able to curdle the milk sufficiently to make good cheese, says A. H. Rishol, of the dairy department of the State College of Washington, recently. Fresh rennet tablets, or rennet extract can be secured from almost any reliable dairy equipment concern.

Another factor in cheese manufacture which sometimes gives trouble is the use of milk that is too fresh. For milk to curdle well it must have been to sour, not so much that it affects the taste, but started to sour noticeably.

If the milk is not ripe enough, it is sometimes not possible to get results by the hot iron test. Precaution should be taken to keep the curd and whey at an even temperature, around 90 degrees, varying as little as possible either up or down. Acidity develops better if there is no fluctuation in the temperature of the whey.

Dead wood occurring at the crown extending out on the main roots of a tree indicates a disease generally termed Collar Rot. The same disease from Collar Rot should be a warning to fruit growers to make a much more systematic effort to prevent the conditions under which the disease develops and spreads in their orchards. The disease is comparatively rare in orchards having not affected trees, although seemingly the latter may all appear quite healthy. By the time the symptoms appear in the branches of the tree, the disease is in an advanced stage and in many cases it even means the loss of the tree.

When a tree is not more than fifty years old, it is still worth saving. Trees in which the rot has extended more than half way round at the base, but the doctoring nearly makes treatment scarcely worthwhile. Where side roots are still girdled, they should be raised. When approximately half the tree is gone, seedlings planted to the tree can later be grafted to the main trunk, assisting in rejuvenation to that side of the tree. Bridge grafts can also be made, connecting the healthy roots with the healthy bark above.

-By WALTER HARVEY

A variety explains itself.
▲ "sport" is only a marked variety.
A "seedling" is grown from any seed of which only the female parent from which the seed was gathered is known.

Most of the roses mentioned have been used to produce the modern improved varieties. A few such as Marechal Niel, Gloire de Dijon and La Tentative are still in cultivation and most popular. It is certain that many people would place these three amongst the best dozen for particular purposes. This is proved by the enormous numbers still sold by nurserymen.

Vaitchenblau was a

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I—KELP AND ITS USES

TO most of us kelp is merely a mass of brown, slimy, seaweed, and one, morose, which is in little favor with people, whose lots run down to the beach, but to the Indian of Vancouver Island it was, in the old days, a part of the very highest economy and importance. It was used in a great variety of ways, as food, medicine, bait, fishing tackle, and even the medicine man did not scorn its assistance.

One of the simplest methods of using it was as a bait for sea-urchins. A piece of the bulb, about the size of a man's hand, was sliced off, weighted by means of a stone and let down to the bottom of the water in some quiet bay or cove. The bait was attached to the end of a line, and the fisherman would draw it up very slowly and carefully, and if he were lucky, one or more sea-urchins would be found feeding on it. They were considered rather a delicacy by the Indians and are still eaten in some of the villages more or less remote from civilization; spines of two or three inches are to be found in the shell-mounds and rubbish heaps left near the village sites on the beaches.

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In rough weather kelp had its uses also. It was, and still is, no unusual thing for a canoe to be tied to three or four stems of growing kelp, and allowed to ride out a storm; and it also was employed as an alphon for balling with in times of emergency, a use to which the Eskimo has resorted. For this purpose a six-foot length of the hollow part of the stem is first submerged in the water to expel all air from it, and the stem is then put below the water level and the other in the water in the kayak. This is also done when it is desired to drain all the water from the kayak of a kayak that is to be kept on shore during the winter.

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effect has been seen already in the formation of the Little Entente, as it is called, an understanding among Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia and Rumania, aiming merely at the preservation of the status quo in Central Europe.—Montreal Gazette.

Matthew Arnold's Sister

"Miss Frances Arnold, youngest daughter of the late Mr. Arnold, of Rugby, died at Fox How, Ambleside, in her 90th year," says "The Times." "Although Miss Arnold had survived so many of her kinsfolk, a multitude of friends, and all those who had been directly associated with her illustrious father, the news of her death will come with something of a shock to all lovers of the Lake Country, of Rugby, and of the name she bore.

"Fox How, where she died, is the house which her father built in 1832, and it was in the case of his retirement from the school, or for his family in case of his death. Dr. Arnold died in 1842; Miss Arnold had continued to live at Fox How, the house which her father had made a house of attraction to three, or even four, generations of her family, and a place of pilgrimage to admirers from many lands.

"Dr. Arnold loved Fox How and the Lake Country in general; indeed, the modern reader of his life sometimes smiles at the passionate enthusiasm which he kept up in breaking out in his letters. 'Fox How was in such beauty,' he writes on one occasion, 'that no scene in the world could be more comparable to it.' Wordsworth was a frequent visitor during the last years of his long life. Other poets came in large numbers, and the spell of Fox How, Miss Arnold would say that she had received five laureates—Southey (this seems unlikely, though his work was not directly associated with Fox How in her early days was Arthur Clough, the beloved friend of both her sister and brother."

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"The population of the world today is 1,550 millions. Of these 1,158 millions are colored, and in the next 200 years all the unoccupied lands of the earth will be inhabited. The total population of the world will then be 2,500 millions. That is to say, we have only six generations in which to ensure the British Empire against colonial predominance.

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"Transport and its Indebtedness to Science," was the topic chosen by Sir Henry Fowler, K.B.E., for his address as president of the engineering section.

Defining science as "ordered knowledge of natural phenomena and of the relations between them," he said the transportation, by land, sea, or air, which aids civilization is that which cuts down the time and expense of power to a minimum and reduces the time occupied in carrying this out, and it was here that science had helped in times past and was helping increasingly in the future if we were to go forward. He confined himself to consideration of the method of transport, and the material available for use, leaving aside questions as to the path over which traction takes place. The first attempt at traction he said was by the use of a steam engine—Jonathan Hull's attempt in 1784 to apply a steam engine to the propulsion of a boat on the Avon in Worcestershire—was a failure because of his lack of scientific knowledge, although he possessed the necessary imagination. Very different was it with James Watt, whose application of science to practical work, though his work was not directly associated with traction, finally gave the greatest impulse to transport that it has ever had. His scientific knowledge conditioned his work on the steam engine.

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THE TALE

And Other
Stories of
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II.—The Emperor's Amulet

JIM HANEY stood in the street outside the house of mourning, and inspected his enemy with a grim smile.

"Smile, you," he said curtly. "Going in with me, Benson?" Benson, who was one of the biggest curio dealers and agents in China, shook his head. Only the sliver in his short-sighted eyes betrayed his vivid hatred of Jim Haney. He was a rather small man, soft-spoken, very deadly, allied with all the forces of graft and evil in China.

"The game isn't worth the candle," he answered. Haney regarded him with that same thin, dangerous smile on his bronzed hatchet face. The two men stood in a side street of Cheng-tu. Somewhere in or near this city, fifteen hundred miles from the coast, were a number of objects recently taken from the grave of the Emperor Ling Ti, of the Han dynasty—objects which, from an historical and artistic standpoint, were worth their weight in rubies to any collector or museum.

One of those objects had been in the possession of the man who had just died of cholera.

"One word, Benson," said Haney slowly. "You're a clever devil. The mandarin he's working for you. You'd cheerfully pay high to have me killed. Now Benson, you're too sick to give me any excuse for coming to you and putting a bullet into your ugly hide—but you look out! All I want is the excuse."

Benson produced a cigarette and lit it. He knew that Jim Haney would shoot him if given an excuse—Haney had a reputation for keeping his word—but Benson was a man who never lost his head. So now he refused to let himself be snared into saying anything. Haney was only talking from suspicion, anyway.

"You have gone into partnership with Toppit, haven't you?" Benson inquired casually.

"I have," snapped Haney. "And we mean to get the whole Ling Ti outfit."

Benson smiled, waved his cigarette with an assurance that maddened Haney, and responded: "There's one piece you won't get—nobody will get it! That's the piece in there, the tongue-amulet of Ling Ti. It's been lost. The man is dead."

"You're such a cursed liar I'd hate to believe you," said Haney sardonically.

Haney turned on his heel and strode into the house of mourning. Benson glanced after him with a vivid gleam in his eyes, then shrugged his shoulders and walked away.

A few moments later Jim Haney came from the house, frowningly. After all, Benson had told him the truth—probably had discovered it through the local mandarin, or from official sources. The emperor's amulet had disappeared some days previously, while the man lay dead. Now the man was dead, and the amulet was gone.

"Tough luck," murmured Haney. "Old Toppit will throw a fit when he finds it's been lost. One of those crooks may have stolen it—but I rather think not."

He slowly retraced his steps through the crowded streets to the house of old Kiang, the far merchant, where his friend and partner Toppit awaited him. So far as the emperor's amulet was concerned, there seemed to be a complete checkmate.

In the Hsiao-tau-kai, or street of bookshops, a naked little yellow boy was playing with a peculiar object which he had picked from a garbage pile in the gutter.

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Ignorant or clever? Scholars are scholars the world over. This yellow man with the horn spectacles saw what the boy was playing with, and realized that no real scholar would last minutes at such a game—also, that this cicada seemed to be petrified or carved from stone. He called the boy, and the cicada changed hands for a matter of two copper-cash.

Examining his purchase, the scholar found that the cicada really was carved from stone, a stone resembling jade. But like so jade that he had never seen. On the belly were cut two characters of some ancient script which he could not read. Determining that it was a luck-piece, the scholar tucked it into his girdle and took his accustomed way to the south gate, toward the temple of the famous minister, Chu-ko Liang, where he was wont to study the two memorials of this great man—the memorials which have become classics and sources of political inspiration to China.

Now, there were a number of things about this cicada which the poor scholar did not know and probably never would know, since he was a mere learner of words and not an ethnologist. In ancient China a body was not embalmed. Instead, it was stuffed with jade—for jade was the essence of this yin or male principle of the universe, which would keep the body from corruption by the yin or female forces of the earth. This, at least, was the theory. Even in the Han period, also, there was a belief in the resurrection of the dead, and hence into the mouth of the corpse was slipped a bit of jade. Mainly in the shape of a cicada, the cicada, like the beetle of the Egyptians, was a symbol of the resurrection, and the jade cicada laid on the tongue of the dead man was an amulet to guide him to the new life.

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brought by Chu-ko Liang from the Burmese conquests, with its magnificent pictures and poems left there by great artists through hundreds of years as memorials. Instead of these things the scholar seated himself before the stones of the outer walls, upon which were inscribed the political testaments of the statesman, and set himself to study and contemplate and reflect. The scholar was doubtless improving his soul, but he was killing a tremendous amount of time in doing it.

Some time afterwards the pangs of hunger apprised the scholar that he had not eaten. His lunch money had gone to buy a luck piece. He took the cicada from his girdle and inspected it critically. In view of the absent luncheon, he did not now care so much for the thing.

A sound of clinking coins sharply roused the scholar. He glanced up to see a man at his side, gazing at the cicada and making money-talk. The inference was obvious. The man was a merchant—an old fellow with wispy gray moustaches and heavy eyes. His name was Wang, and he dealt in books; also, he was learned in many things—a reader of his own works.

Wang bought the cicada for a small string of cash. He bought it hastily, without daring to show his eagerness or to examine it very closely, and then shuffled off with the cicada clutched in his palm, while the scholar departed to seek substantial nourishment.

Two minutes later Wang passed outside the main entrance of the temple and opened his clenched fist. The very touch of the cool, moist stone thrilled him; the feel of the wondrous polished patina against his twenty old palm was an ecstasy. He said no regard to the fact that other men were all around, coming and going. He was immensely proud of what he had just bought, and was in a vain haste to confirm his first hasty impression.

He looked at the green stone insect resting in his hand. He noted the clear quality of the stone, its leaf-green color, the deft work with which the artist had made dark spots nestle like natural insect colorings in the veins of the cicada. Wang, who had studied much, knew that this was not the ordinary jade, fetched in from Turkestan by the hundredweight. It was genuine Chinese jade, such as had not been found in China except very rarely for about two thousand years.

The words escaped his lips in rapid admiration—as much for his own cleverness as for the stone's beauty. "Han yu! Jade of the Han!" A tongue amulet from a grave.

He turned over the cicada to examine the two ideographs on its belly, but they were beyond his ability to read. Thus, examining his find, he did not see that two men had heard his exclamation and had exchanged a swift glance. Han yu, to any native who knows, has much the same significance that "Free gold, by George!" would have to an old-time California mining camp. In other words, it is apt to start something.

Old Wang tucked away the cicada, stroked his wispy moustaches, and shuffled toward the city gate with a real smile on his old face. Behind him followed two men, who, by their costume, were evidently members of the provincial soldiery maintained by the local mandarin. By their faces they were bandits. Which amounted to exactly the same thing. These two soldiers knew that a white man was the guest of the mandarin, and they had heard a great deal of talk about Han yu and other things. They knew the white man was one of the three dealers in antiquities on the coast and was thick as a brother with the mandarin. As to the mandarin himself, they were far too well acquainted with him to have any fears on the score of future punishment.

Old Wang, taking the shortest way home, plunged into the Street of Ten Thousand Bright Flowers. This was an evil little alley occupied by crowded tenements. It was, at the moment, deserted except for a few children playing in the gutter.

Now was accomplished a mysterious and startling thing. Beyond him, Wang, the book-seller, had entered that alley at one end, but he did not come out at all! Instead of Wang, two soldiers came out at the other end, moved a few feet distant to a patch of shade, and squatted down. One of them replaced a knife in his sleeve, the other handed him some clinking coins.

"There is half the money," said the soldier to the white man.

"Ah! That is the Han yu!" "That is in my girdle. Let us offer it too hastily about this. If we offer it to the white man—"

"He will buy it. He deals in such things."

"True." The more subtle robber scratched his nose reflectively. "But remember, there is a mandarin in the yamen. Beyond doubt, the mandarin will take all the money that the white man should pay us."

"Ah! Quite true," asserted the other. "Stay! Is there not another white man living at the Tu-kung temple?"

The first bandit nodded, and grinned.

"Go to that shop across the street to buy some wax. Then come back."

The second man obeyed, keeping his eye carefully on his comrade. When he returned with the wax the first bandit divided it into two portions, and into each portion firmly pressed the belly-side of the cicada.

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Presently a surge of the crowd gave way before a group of soldiers, who bore two dead men in their midst. These were seen to be two of the yamen guard, and the bodies were placed on an exhibition. There was new excitement when a proclamation was brought forth and posted above the bodies.

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In evidence of this supernatural fact, the revolver was displayed. Haney turned away, got out of the crowd, and climbed into his waiting sedan chair. He did not like leaving to the house of King the fur dealer, on the other side of the city, and then sat back with a smile on his lips.

"Great is the justice of the mandarin!" he murmured, and patted the emperor's amulet with much satisfaction. "I don't understand all this—but I'm satisfied."

And he tucked some tobacco into his brier, chuckling to himself.

Now let us look at all that. In the first place, it cannot be denied that a good deal of prejudice exists at both ends of the line against emigration. Of course, people do not like leaving relatives, friends, and old associations. And to that fact you have got to add another. Emigration in the past has not invariably been run on the most thoroughly sound and discriminating lines—a fact that has reacted in the shaping of public opinion both here and overseas. It was, and is, part of the purpose of the Empire Settlement Act to put the whole thing on to a newer and better plan.

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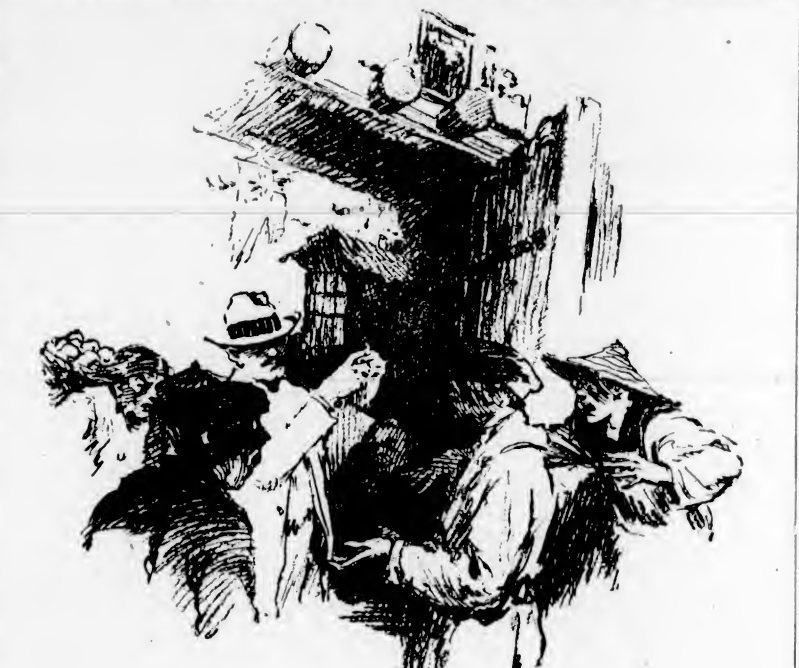
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"Shakespeare," thundered the court sergeant, "Shakespeare," echoed the policeman to the outside corridors, "Shakespeare!"—"Sir Richard Steele!"—"Sir Richard Steele!"

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Not a sound reached him. He guessed that at this time of day everyone in the gambling joint was asleep.

A slow and insidious doubt that this could be a trap gradually rose in his mind. That soldier had lied, of course, but had not told the sort of lies Haney would have imagined. Benson was a clever fellow to hand out that fish-belly stuff.

A scurry of hastening feet in the passage. Haney's hand slid toward his armpit, then paused.

"By the bell of the five bates!" said the voice of the soldier who had guided him. "Here is the place—and there is no time to lose if we are to carry our heads safe out of the city! Take the money and be satisfied, fool!"

Another voice grumbled something inaudible. The door was flung open. Haney rose as the two soldiers entered and closed the door. They were panting, their eyes showed fierce excitement, the hand of one was red with hastily-wiped blood.

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"Here is my comrade, heavenborn," said the first soldier hurriedly. "He has the green stone. Give us the money, and let us depart."

Haney extended the shaft of notes. The soldier tucked them away, then turned with an angry gesture to his comrade.

"The green stone, quickly! Give him the Han yu."

"First give me my money," scowled the other. "Besides, how do I know the money is good? It is not silver—"

"Oh, turtles' offspring! Can I not be trusted to know good gin-piao? Here, take your share. But by the fu, give him the jade quickly!"

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him men were great patrons of the newly gambling house.

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Sitting in the empty room, with only a brick bed and a jar that smelled of sam shu to keep him company, Haney waited for something to happen. He felt so certain that he had walked into a trap of Haney's devising that he was anxious to get busy. His nerves were on a hair-trigger edge.

Not a sound reached him. He guessed that at this time of day everyone in the gambling joint was asleep.

A slow and insidious doubt that this could be a trap gradually rose in his mind. That soldier had lied, of course, but had not told the sort of lies Haney would have imagined. Benson was a clever fellow to hand out that fish-belly stuff.

A scurry of hastening feet in the passage. Haney's hand slid toward his armpit, then paused.

"By the bell of the five bates!" said the voice of the soldier who had guided him. "Here is the place—and there is no time to lose if we are to carry our heads safe out of the city! Take the money and be satisfied, fool!"

Another voice grumbled something inaudible. The door was flung open. Haney rose as the two soldiers entered and closed the door. They were panting, their eyes showed fierce excitement, the hand of one was red with hastily-wiped blood.

Haney perceived that much had been going on somewhere, but he was too wise to ask any incautious questions.

"Here is my comrade, heavenborn," said the first soldier hurriedly. "He has the green stone. Give us the money, and let us depart."

Haney extended the shaft of notes. The soldier tucked them away, then turned with an angry gesture to his comrade.

"The green stone, quickly! Give him the Han yu."

"First give me my money," scowled the other. "Besides, how do I know the money is good? It is not silver—"

"Oh, turtles' offspring! Can I not be trusted to know good gin-piao? Here, take your share. But by the fu, give him the jade quickly!"

The scowling, hesitant hand took the green stone. Haney took it and slipped the stone into his pocket. His lips clenched grimly; what went into that pocket of his did not come out easily.

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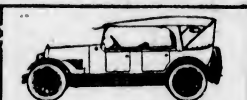
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OVERLAND CHAMPION IS NEW TYPE OF CAR

Smart Closed Body With Several Entirely New Features—Listed at Factory Below \$1,000

An Overland closed car listed at the Canadian factory under a thousand dollars in price is the latest announcement made by the Willys-Overland, Limited, of Toronto.

The new Champion car on an Overland chassis, with all the mechanical advantages offered by Model 91, such as triple springs, bigger and more powerful engine and new floating type of rear axle, follows the body arrangement introduced this year in the Willys-Knight coupe-sedan, which has proved so popular. That is, it has doors front and rear and combines the compactness of the coupe with the seating plan of the sedan.

The lines are real smart. The all-steel body is finely finished and is equipped with trunk at rear.

Besides bringing an Overland closed car within the reach of thousands more people, the Champion is an innovation in regard to additional features in body design. For instance, its blue Spanish leather upholstery is removable, so that the salesman who desires to utilize his car to carry a maximum number of samples, can quickly find fifty cubic feet of space in the rear half of the car.

Another development is the designing of seats so that with the upholstery they can be made up into a wide, comfortable bed the full length of the body. With the increasing popularity of motor camping, this is a feature that will commend itself to many persons.

The Champion versatility is further emphasized by the front seat being adjustable to put foot pedals in easy reach of short people.

Willys-Overland factories have been running to capacity in the manufacture of Willys-Knight cars, Model 91 Overland and the popular blue Bird and Red Bird types, both for the domestic and export markets. But facilities have been provided for increasing production to include a good supply of Champions. The present objective is to supply as many dealers as possible with these new cars, and Mr. Thomas Plimley, Willys-Overland dealer here, hopes to receive his first Champion within a short time.

PROPER WAY OF HANDLING WHEEL

Many Accidents Caused Through Inability to Turn Steering Wheel Rapidly—Tips on Driving

The mere knowledge of how to start and stop a car serves only as preliminary training. It is from this point that the greatest care should be exercised to learn the proper way to handle your car at all times.

Probably the most neglected part in the training of drivers is that of steering. A great number of accidents are caused through inability to turn the wheels rapidly enough in either

direction, at the same time signalling to the oncoming traffic as to what course you intend taking.

Assume you are driving a left-drive car. In making a right-hand turn the left arm is extended up and out as a signal at least 75 feet prior to the corner. This applies to all signals, except in emergencies. The wheel should be grasped high with the right hand and turned to the right as the corner is reached. The speed of the car being lessened at the same time. The left hand should remain at the signal position until the corner is rounded, then it falls high on the wheel and straightens out the course of your car, the right hand relinquishing its hold when the left hand takes control.

This method completes your turn in two movements, whereas the ordinary way of using both hands, after a hurried signal, taking two or three holds on the wheel to accomplish a turn, never allows you full confidence of control and makes more work for the driver.

For the left turn the signal is that the left arm shall be extended straight out and held there until the car has taken its complete turn. This time the right hand is crossed over to the left as the corner is reached. To straighten out the course of your car following a left turn, let go of your wheel and take a new grip and pull down to the right; as in right-hand turn note that the left hand plays no part in a left turn, except as a signal, yet you have perfect control of your car.

Steering is a knack, not bull strength. Once acquired, your driving pleasure increases greatly.

In downtown traffic, cars should be guided with the right hand, keeping the left ready for immediate use as a signal. Remember, that you can do nothing with two hands on the steering wheel that cannot be accomplished with one, thereby leaving the other in reserve as a signal. Try these suggestions out and it may aid you greatly, regardless of your past experience.

TAKE A LOOK OVER YOUR AUTO WHEELS

Wobbly Wheels Are Noticed Every Day on the Various Highways—Hard on Tires

Misalignment and wobbly wheels are noticed all the time by motorists upon other cars as they drive along the highways, but few stop to consider that perhaps their own wheels are in exactly the same condition and wearing out their tires just as rapidly, according to the president of a leading tire firm.

"It is my advice to motorists to have someone drive their car along a smooth boulevard while they ride behind in another machine and study the behavior of their wheels and by doing this they can soon tell if their wheels are in identically the same condition they have noticed on other machines along the road."

"I claim that ten per cent of all cars in use today are not perfectly aligned, and I mean by this either the wheels wobble, turn in or out, or they are not hung true to the frame."

H. L. LOCKWOOD'S LONG NON-STOP DRIVE

Five Full Nights and Six Days Covered by Detroit Motorist—Broke the Previous Record

Non-stop dancing records, which were the craze throughout the United States some two or three months ago, have been replaced in public interest by non-stop automobile driving records. And just as the last 500-mile classic race on the Indianapolis speedway proved that metal will outwear men, so has this newest non-stop test proved that the non-stop test depends on what flesh and blood will stand in the way of sleepless torture: the car goes through in shipshape order.

It was H. L. ("Daredevil") Lockwood, Detroit, famous for his human fly and brilliant racing driver performances, who hung up a mark for this type of stunt which will probably stand still some tougher hombra appears to beat it.

One hundred and sixteen consecutive hours—five full nights and six days—Lockwood kept the wheel of a touring car, and piloted the car through the traffic of Detroit. Indicative of the torture he underwent in order to "make it" was necessary to keep a physician in constant attendance, and he underwent severe pain when two bolts which had developed were loosed while the car was in motion and under Lockwood's control.

He broke his own previous non-stop driving record by four hours and won a wager of \$2,000. It was announced.

"Lockwood's eyes were puffed and swollen and his nose bleeding as the attending physician administered to him. During the last twenty-four hours of the run it was necessary to keep a physician in constant attendance, and he underwent severe pain when two bolts which had developed were loosed while the car was in motion and under Lockwood's control."

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Motor Notes From Great Britain

(By a London Correspondent)

The Exhibition Season

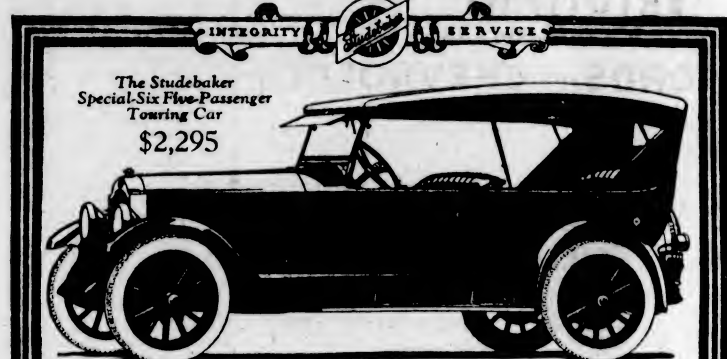
We have now definitely entered upon the British Motor Exhibition season, though the biggest events are yet to come. The King has given his patronage to the Motor Show and the Commercial Vehicle Show, organized by the Motor Manufacturers' Association and Traders, and also to the Cycle and Motorcycle Show, organized by the British Cycle and Motorcycle Manufacturers' Association and Traders' Union. For the Car Show, which opens on November 2, there are already 526 exhibitors, representing Great Britain, France, the United States, Canada, Italy, Holland and Belgium. The list of exhibitors at the Commercial Vehicle Exhibition, which opens on November 22, is almost equally strong, and the same applies to the Cycle and Motorcycle Show, which opens on October 15. Visitors from overseas will be interested to know that, if they require advice on the selection of vehicles or any other mechanical matters at the exhibitions, they can get qualified and unbiased assistance by applying at the stand of the Automobile Association, where engineers will be regularly in attendance for this particular purpose. At the time of writing the Olympia Building is occupied by the Shipping, Engineering and Machinery Exhibition, at which an important section, filling the new hall, consists of exhibits of motor boats and marine and stationary engines.

Many British firms have now abandoned the old policy of refusing to announce their next year's programme before the Olympia Show. Details of the intentions of the Wolseley Motor Company for 1924 are just to hand. The company offers a complete range, beginning with the 10-h.p. light car and ending with the 24-30-h.p. six-cylinder model. In the "Ten" and "Fourteen" Wolseleys there will only be detail alterations. These include the provision of an air shutter in the carburetor intake and the use of the "grease gun" system for the lubrication of the chassis. As regards complete cars, an innovation is the popular Wolseley "Ten," with a four-coated body, selling at the low price of £299, the corresponding two-seater being listed at £250 at the works. The complete Wolseley "Fourteen" will be obtainable in new forms, as a two-seater, as a four-seater saloon, and as a landaulet for five persons.

The chassis of the Wolseley "Fifteen" shows many alterations and may almost be called a new model. An outstanding feature is that every component has been carefully considered from the point of view of accessibility. A thermostat is incorporated in the cooling system, to maintain correct engine temperature automatically. An improved system of lubrication has been introduced, a four-speed gear box is fitted, and the drive to the floating rear axle is through spiral bevel gear. The front axle is of new design, with larger wheel bearings.

The two six-cylinder Wolseley chassis, namely, the 20 and the 24-30-h.p. models, are not being changed in any material respect. Finally, a point to be noted is that all Wolseley models for overseas use are now being fitted with magneto ignition.

Mrs. Violette Morris, all-round sportswoman of France, who won the Paris-Pyrenees automobile race in 1923 and the Paris-Nice race this year, is ambitious to drive a big car in the Indianapolis motor speed race. The nineteenth annual automobile salon will be held in New York, November 11 to 17 inclusive, at the Commodore, and in Chicago at the Drake, January 26 to February 3, inclusive.



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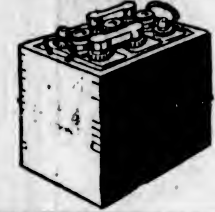
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CHINESE LAW HAS NO SPEED LIMIT

Peculiar Motorcar Conditions Near Shanghai Described by Prominent Automobile Engineer

By ERWIN GREER

A friend of mine returned the other day from Shanghai, China, and the tale of the motoring laws in Shanghai may be interesting to motorists.

In the first place, traffic runs along the left side of the street, which is the opposite to the usual custom. There are so many Chinamen on the streets that one would naturally suppose the law would require the motorist to drive slowly. On the contrary, they may drive as fast as they wish—it is up to the coolie to get out of the way. However, if the motorist happens to bump a high-class Chinaman or a foreigner—woe be unto him—for the law takes its full course, and for such an offence the motorist will, nine chances out of ten, find himself in jail, and Shanghai jails aren't very nice when one shares them with numerous coolies.

Few accessories are used on the cars in the Orient, but then the cars are, for the most part, not worth doling up. As long as they run on all four wheels, nothing is done to them. When repairing is imperative only that work is done which is absolutely necessary.

The roads are narrow and constructed of cobble stones, except in downtown districts. Cars and tires do not last very long there.

The traffic officers are Sike policemen, who stand on the main corners in a sort of dejected manner and wave their hands spasmodically, first in one direction and then in the other. Rickshaws, machines and street cars wait impatiently, sometimes while a Sike policeman settles a dispute among some coolies, then, with a start, wakes up and sends the held-up traffic on once again.

Most machines don't seem capable of breaking any speed laws. However, there are some very honest-to-goodness machines on the streets driven by chauffeurs, and they for the most part are observant of the speed laws or, at least, they watch the movements of other cars so as to avoid a collision.

Gasoline sells for \$1 a gallon. China money, or about 50 cents in gold. However, you can hire an automobile all day for \$5, but why use an automobile when you can have a ricksha for 50 cents a day and be carried somewhere between ten and twelve miles an hour?

Altogether, motoring in the Orient isn't a very comfortable sport, though most of the well-paid foreigners own automobiles or "motors," as they say over there.

A Realistic Illusion

By T. J. S.

The atmosphere was clear and the sun shone with unusual strength and brilliancy as we drove along the delightful several miles of coast road, referred to, generally, as the "Marine Drive."

We felt little discomfort from the heat, as the swift motion of the car created quite a breeze, which kept us refreshingly cool and sweet.

Conversation was indulged in. All, as if by common consent, were enjoying the scene in silence, together with feelings of delight, gladness and relaxation.

Suddenly, however, and without warning, a voice exclaimed, "Look! oh! look! a mirage! How beautiful! Out yonder! Don't you see it?" With exclamations such as these we were instantly aroused from our somnolent state to gaze on a scene so enchantingly lovely that words—at the time—seemed inadequate to describe.

In the distance could be seen a sparkling, shimmering white sheen over the water caused evidently by the sun shining obliquely upon it. This effect was ever moving across the ocean's surface as the atmosphere changed in density, or otherwise.

Rising from the water to tip almost of the horizon, white streamers or columns formed, very much in appearance to a lofty solid wall or bank resembling the well-known cliffs of Dover, as seen from the English Channel.

Towering higher still, perfectly poised, and balanced in space, numerous forms and shapes could be seen moving from point to point. These possibly, were caused by the shining through some of the apparently light fleecy clouds high up in the sky. However, with little imagination we could distinctly see the outlines of a great superman-of-war. Its length appeared to be 20 miles or more in extent, cathedral domes, lofty spires, mountain ranges, varying in size and width, all thrown on the canvas of space.

As a basis for the whole fabric was an ever-moving glinting sheen on the water below, moving hither and thither, as if the varying winds were vying with each other in changing the panorama across the Western Coast of Canada and the United States.

We are not exaggerating when we say "Canada and the United States." It will be remembered that we were looking east from Victoria, which is situated on the south of Vancouver Island, and we should have seen—but for the mirage—the Olympic range of mountains rearing in all their eternal grandeur.

But what have we been so enraptured over? A mirage at sea—as seen by a tourist—still in paradoxical as it may seem. What a real, realistic illusion!

TOO MANY MOTORISTS EXTRAVAGANT WHEN IT COMES TO TIRES

"It is surprising how folks, who are frugal in other respects, are extravagant when it comes to tires," says Mr. "Andy" McGavin, local K. & S. Tire distributor.

When asked what he meant by tire extravagance, he explained that he didn't mean high-priced tires, but wasting tires. "It is just as important to have your tires examined and looked after from time to time as you are to have your tires ready for the dump pile far sooner than they would be if properly treated.

Small injuries that are neglected if repaired in time would prevent the biggest part of the serious tire troubles. No tire, no matter how good, will deliver the maximum usefulness unless given proper care and service.

INCREASE IN AUTO OUTPUT IS FORECAST

Canadian and American Factories Prepare for Larger Production and Big Selling Campaign

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 13.—There will be more automobiles than ever on the highways next year.

Motor car manufacturers are planning increased production, with employment of more men in factories and associate industries. Additional plants are being erected by several establishments to care for the 1924 trade, and, following the lead of the Ford Company, extended advertising campaigns are being started. Prices remain about the same, with no sensational changes contemplated by any manufacturer.

The "stream line" idea is followed by the new models, with very few exceptions. This plan calls for a straight line from the radiator to the back of the tonneau. To make it possible, radiators are higher, hoods have more conservative lines, and bodies are cut down to reduce superfluous material.

As a whole, the new automobile sits closer to the ground, with lengthened wheel base bringing the centre of gravity more fully upon the springs. The low sitting car is harder to turn over, reducing the tendency to skid and allowing easier manipulation on rough roads. Application of the four wheel brake system to a number of the new models and other transmission and control improvements make them easier to handle in emergencies.

The Ford Motor Company starts the new year with a \$7,000,000 national advertising campaign, with plans for increased production to fully satisfy the demands of its product. Application of the "stream line" to the Ford is the outstanding feature of the 1924 model. A higher radiator, apron joining the front fenders, and improved body design are the principal changes. The coupe and roadster are lower, and especially show the application of the new design. Practically no changes are made in the Lincoln. Increased production will feature this car's new year.

Two new plants are nearing completion at the Dodge Brothers' factory to help supply the increased demand. The Dodge advertising campaign, started several years ago, will be continued. The new Dodge plans call for a ten-inch long wheel base, lower body, weight distribution on improved springs, higher radiator and all steel streamline body, improved instrument arrangements and more leg room for the driver.

Introduction of a new "Sport Special" is the only thing new at the Maxwell factory. This model is produced in grey green, with the best points of the various Maxwell models applied. The Studebaker Company is planning an increase in production through development of its "Special Six." A heavier crank shaft, longer wheel base, higher hood and radiator with streamline body, feature the "Six." Other models are unchanged.

The 1924 Buick represents probably more sensational changes in construction design than any other car. The body is lengthened, with a higher radiator and cowl. The radiator is completely remodelled. Its hood has the appearance of an inverted brace, similar to that of the Packard.

HIGH PRAISE IS GIVEN HASSLER

Erwin G. ("Cannonball") Baker, after riding for 8,000 miles during the last three months on Hassler friction type shock absorbers, declared that this type of shock absorber was one of the main factors which enabled him to establish the long list of records that have recently attracted so much attention in the automotive world. After driving the Cole car, equipped with Hasslers, for 8,000 miles more than a season's driving for the average motorist—it was found that the shock absorbers were in the same perfect mechanical condition as they were when installed at the factory, said Mr. George Weller, local Hassler distributor.

"Baker, during his long period of driving over some of the roughest roads in the West, never found it necessary to make any adjustment on his Hasslers. This new type of shock absorber, which is the result of many years' experimental and research work by Hassler engineers, has been found to give from ten to fifteen miles an hour greater speed to a car, according to Baker's own statement. This is made possible through the individual construction of this mechanical equipment, which eliminates the floating of the front end of the machine when driving at high speed.

HOW TO ADJUST BEARINGS IS TOLD

The following method is frequently suggested for adjusting Timken front wheel bearings. Raise the wheel clear of the floor, start the wheel spinning and tighten the bearing adjusting nut until it stops the rotation of the wheel, then back off the adjustment just enough so that the wheel oscillates freely. While tightening the nut the wheel should be spun in opposite direction to that in which the nut is turned. Shake the wheel to determine whether or not there is any play in the bearing. This should be done by grasping the wheel top and bottom, never the sides, to avoid confusing bearing play with loose steering connections.

An easy method of accomplishing the adjustment when ball bearings are used is to tighten the adjusting nut a little more than is necessary, holding the wheel with the tire valve half way up from bottom. Then very gradually back off the nut until the wheel slowly turns and the weight of the tire valve carries it to the bottom. The bearing will then have no excess play, nor will it be too tight. Regardless of the type of bearing, with the proper adjustment the weight of the tire valve should be sufficient to turn the wheel after it has been turned several times by hand.

FAN HELD BEST TO COOL CAR ENGINE

There is no doubt that some control of the cooling system is very desirable, and it is becoming usual on the larger and more expensive chassis to install a thermostat for this purpose. In many cases this is arranged so that, on starting the engine from cold, the radiator is short-circuited until such a time as the water in the

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cylinder jackets has become sufficiently warm to operate the thermostat, and in such cases, if the car be taken on the road in very cold weather immediately the engine is started there is a possibility of the water in the radiator becoming frozen and causing serious damage by bursting the pipes.

Actual examples of this trouble are not wanting, and on that account there is no doubt that the method of controlling the temperature of the cooling system simply by means of a variable speed fan has much to recommend it. On the thirty-four-horse power Spyker (Dutch) such a system is actually adopted, and in one or two other cases a clutch is incorporated in the fan drive, so that for starting and in cold weather the fan may be put out of action.

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The Cameron Motor Company, 244 Port Street, newly appointed Vancouver Island distributors for Federal trucks, report a sale of a Federal Fast Express.

The Exide Battery Company, of Toronto, certainly threw a bomb into aprior circles last week when it announced a big reduction in the price of all types of batteries, through their local dealer, Mr. Harry F. Davis.

STUDEBAKER WINS CLIMBING CONTEST

Charles H. Myers in Big-Six Establishes Record Time Over Pike's Peak Hill

Charles H. Myers, of Colorado Springs, Colorado, driving a 1923 Studebaker Big-Six, won event No. 3 in the recent annual Pike's Peak national hill climb. The race was over a course of 12 miles with a climb of 2,000 feet. Myers' time for the distance, 19 minutes 21.2 seconds, is the fastest time ever made over the route by cars with a minimum weight of 2,000 pounds.

The competing cars were divided into three classes governed by weight and piston displacement. The Big-Six was entered in class three, which was open to cars with motors having a piston displacement of 200 cubic inches and over, and minimum weight of 2,000 pounds.

Many high-powered racing cars and experienced drivers were entered. Before the race Myers was not considered a possible winner by the large crowd which thronged the course. It was evident, however, as the powerful Studebaker dashed to the front at the first quarter, that the "dark horse" would finish among the leaders.

The victory of this Big-Six is all the more remarkable because of the unusual conditions under which it competed and the hazardous route covered.

Eight months ago this Big-Six was wrecked in Pueblo, Colorado, and was not considered worth repairing. Myers, however, rebuilt the stock motor, using light pistons and rings and a stock cam shaft. After making only six adjustments on the original design he was satisfied to enter it against factory entries and special makes.

A member of the technical board, which inspects all automobiles the day previous to the race, made the statement that the Studebaker was the nearest stock car which contested in the event.

PRICE REDUCTION IS ANNOUNCED BY EXIDE

Harry F. Davis, Local Exide Distributor, Announces Big Cut in All Types—Quality the Same

A material reduction has been made in the price of all Exide Automobile Batteries, according to Mr. Harry F. Davis of the local Exide Service Station.

"This price reduction," said Mr. Davis, "does not in any way imply a reduction in the quality of the Exide Battery. On the contrary, it is the same as that which has brought world-wide acceptance of the Exide as a quality product throughout."

"The lower prices at which we are now selling Exide Batteries is the result of a new plan of battery merchandising whereby 'free service' is eliminated."

"Years ago, when few motorists knew how to properly care for their batteries, service stations were constantly called upon to test them, add water, clean the terminals and do much work that the present day automobilist has learned to do for himself."

"Naturally, the cost of this 'free service' had to be paid by some one, so it was included in the price of the battery. Obviously the man who never called for free service was paying for something he never used."

"Under the new plan we have adopted, a very moderate charge will be made for servicing a battery, thereby enabling us to sell the battery at a price that is absolutely fair to all."

"After all," said Mr. Davis, "service, fairly charged for, is just as truly service, as though it were done for nothing."

MOTORIST'S CALF IS LATEST ADDITION TO AILMENT LIST

While idling a few moments in his morning tub recently a local man who drives his own car was startled to observe that the calf of his right leg was considerably larger than its left mate. Letting the soap float off to one side of the tub, he cogitated. His right foot, relaxed, involuntarily lowered and raised.

Mental association linked these phenomena with the use of the accelerator of the motor car. Later in the day he was the subject of much puzzled scrutiny as he was seen to feel the calves of several of his fellow motorists.

His survey convinced him that the much greater use of the right leg on the accelerator, and the foot brake as well, as compared with the infrequent use of the left leg on the clutch lever, tended to develop the right calf out of proportion to the left one.

MOTOR NOTES

The A. E. Humphries Motors, Ltd., expect a carload of Dodge sedans some time this week. The sedans, which were ordered by Cameron & Coldwell several months ago, are to be used on the new 50 cents taxi service.

Mr. Jim Wood, managing director of the Reg Motor Company, Ltd., states that he expects another shipment of Nash cars and a carload of Cadillac V83 touring cars this week. There has been such a big demand for the 1923 Cadillac in the East that the West has been unable to get a shipment of touring cars through from the Oakville factory.

Mr. H. E. Hayley, of Thomas Dillier, Ltd., Maxwell, the Maxwell Pacemaker to reach Victoria within the next week or so. The Pacemaker is a specially built car and is elaborately finished in white. Wherever this model has been shown it has caused quite a sensation.

NEW CONTRIVANCE TO CONTROL SPEED

Swedish Engineers Have Invented Speedometer With Several Novel Features—Special Check

Swedish engineers have invented a new type of speedometer which, they say, will control the speed of the car.

It consists of a round disc connect-

ed with the front axle by means of a shaft. On the disc is a set of concentric circles which record the speed at which the car is driven, ranging from 0 at the centre to 60 kilometers an hour at the outer circle. The circumference of the inner circle is arranged to register a distance traveled of 1,000 meters.

In the centre of the disc are several register fittings. Two figures indicate the maximum speed of the car during the last and next to the last kilometer; a five-figure register indicates the total distance traveled; a three-figure system measures a given stretch of road traveled. A special check arrangement restricts one speed of the car at any point at which it is set.

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Durant 6, Hudson, Hupmobile, McLaughlin-Buick 6, Reo, Studebaker and others.	6 volt, 15 plate	44.00	30.60
Dodge, Franklin, Maxwell and others	12 volt, 9 plate	51.35	37.65

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These lower prices have been made possible through the adoption of certain changes in merchandising methods by the manufacturer, based on the present day requirements of car owners.

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Dying Memories Of U.S. Civil War

At the recent annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic there was no one left to answer for Arizona. This was the first occasion on which a break occurred in the response to the roll call of States that adhered to the Union in the conflict of the sixties; but the break will increase rapidly from now on, because the generation that witnessed the Civil War is passing. The hills of Gettysburg are as peaceful today as they were before the tide of battle turned with the repulse of Pickett's charge, giant trees cover the scars left by Grant's trenches before Richmond, and the desolation of the Shenandoah Valley and the route of Sherman's march from Atlanta to the sea has given place to fruitful fields and thriving cities. Soon all that will remain of material reminders of those who fought beneath the blue and the grey will be countless cemeteries, in which the passions to which fratricidal strife gave rise lie buried.

With the passing of those who followed Grant and Lee there is passing, too, the memory of songs that sixty years ago filled the Summer air not only of the Republic but of Canada as well. Scarcely are

heard now the plaintive notes of "My Poor Nellie Grey," that revival of the spirit of the Covenanters in "We Are Coming, Father Abraham, Three Hundred Thousand Strong," the triumphant blast of "Marching Through Georgia," or the weird mingling of joy and melancholy in "Away Down South in Dixie." These and countless other songs of the period have steadily persisted, but may find their final echo as "The Last Post" dies away over the last participant in a struggle which decided that the ideals Lincoln died for shall live.—Toronto Globe.

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NEWSPAPER STRIKE HURTS RETAILERS

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When New York Papers Combined to
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Advertisers Soon Felt Effects

Striking tributes to the necessity and value of newspaper advertising, together with an unexpected object lesson in the results of an enforced abstention from it, were among the recent outstanding sequels to the late strike of newspaper web pressmen in New York City. For a week after the strike went into effect the daily newspapers of New York were compelled to pool their resources for the issuance of a combined 8-page paper, and the immediate result was the practical cessation of all display advertising by the retail stores of the city.

The large stores were compelled to adopt extraordinary means of publicity, all of which were found to be but poor substitutes for the convenience and wide circulation of the newspaper advertisements which had to be foregone. The Editor and Publisher, a weekly of wide circulation among newspaper men, tells the story as follows:

Large Losses to Retailers
But while the publishers have suffered from curtailed revenues, the discomfort of manning pressrooms and of violence to employees at the hands of the pressmen, it seems safe to state that the largest money losses have been incurred by the advertisers, chiefly retailers and financial houses.

Department store heads, even those catering to permanent customers, said inability to promote sales through the newspaper columns was proving a serious handicap at the opening of the Fall season.

Bernard F. Gimbel, vice-president of Gimbel Brothers, Inc., was quoted in published statements as saying he thought the strike would be injurious to both large and small stores.

"We depend upon newspaper advertising for much of our selling power," he added. "It is the newspaper advertising, combined with the standing of the store doing the advertising, which makes the buyer realize his need of some article which otherwise he might have neglected to purchase."

Others were quoted as follows: Harold W. Bonwit, secretary of Bonwit, Teller & Co.: "I have no doubt that if the strike lasts much longer we will feel a huge effect. Newspaper advertising is doubtless the most valuable advertising in the world, and as the retail stores are deprived of this medium they will feel the loss more and more. The discontinuance of full news about events in this country and abroad has a most disturbing effect on the minds of customers, and causes uncertainty and unrest which is reflected in their buying."

P. A. Conno, vice-president, Saks & Co.: "The loss of newspaper advertising is especially important at the beginning of a season, as now, when the stores are introducing new styles and paying the way for the new season."

James McCreery & Co.: "Newspaper advertising is the corner post of sales promotion, and we hope the newspapers return to normal soon."

Hearst & Co., one of the executives of Blair & Co., a leading Wall Street banking house: "Investment bankers were not certain until the pressmen's strike began that newspaper advertising played a big part in their business. We know now what invaluable service the newspapers render us. It is next to impossible to put over a big bond issue without advertising. Our clients expect advertising and will not bother to read circulars."

Gimbel Brothers sent to all charge customers on Monday a 40-word telegram announcing Tuesday offerings and have made use of handbills, wagon posters, etc. Several of the stores sent newspaper-size sheets to newsdealers throughout the city, offering as high as 2 1/2 cents for each one distributed with a newspaper.

Only staple articles have been selling in most of the larger stores, luxuries missing the impetus of the newspaper advertising and remaining dormant. One large merchant whose profit lies especially in the luxury class of his merchandise, said not for publication with his name that another fortnight of "combined newspaper" would have closed his doors. It has been a salutary lesson in the value of newspaper space which the publishers can credit to the strike along with the elimination of the chaotic pressroom conditions of recent months. More than ever, the strike and its sequel have placed the publishers dominant over all phases of their operations, including the pressroom and the large advertising accounts—results that were certainly not expected by the striking pressmen.



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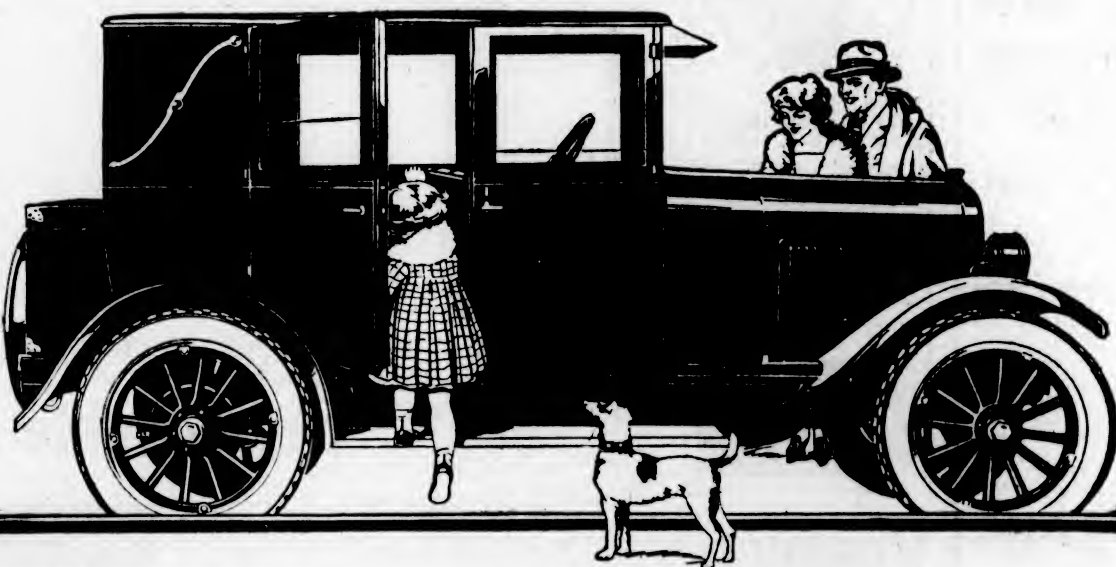
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By Colonel Commandant (Hon. Brigadier-General J. M. Ross, C.M.G., D.S.O., commanding Military District No. 11, Victoria, B.C., October 11, 1923.

General Staff

189. Col. (Ret.)—The following certificates have been granted from the School of Equitation, Vancouver, B.C., covering course from 24-2-23 to 24-4-23:

Lieut. C. J. Stewart, First Battalion (121st), Equitation; Lieut. W. R. Webster, 1. P. of C. (121st), Equitation.

Administrative Staff

190. Appointments, Promotions and Retirements—The following extracts from A. P. and R. No. 23, 1923, are published for the information of all concerned:

Cavalry

Fifth British Columbia Light Horse—Provisional Captain L. M. Bond reverts to the provisional rank of lieutenant. 20-5-23.

Provisional Lieut. A. MacDonald is permitted to retire, May 25, 1923.

Artillery

Fifty-eighth Battery (attached to 5th, British Columbia, Regiment, C.G.A.)—To be major and to command the Battery: Major T. B. Monk from the 5th (British Columbia) Regiment, C.G.A. April 24, 1923.

Fifth (British Columbia) Regiment, No. 1 Company—To be major and to command the Company: Captain and Brevet-Major M. Kirkpatrick-Crockett, vice Major T. B. Monk, who is transferred to the 58th Battery, April 24, 1923.

Canadian Corps of Signals

No. 21 Signal Company—Provisional Captain F. J. Fetherstonhaugh is transferred to the reserve of officers with the rank of lieutenant, May 12, 1923.

Infantry

First British Columbia Regiment (Duke of Connaught's Own) 1st Battalion (7th Bn., C.E.F.)—Captain G. L. Fraser, M.M., is permitted to retire and to retain his rank on retirement, May 28, 1923.

Second Batt. (29th Bn., C.E.F.)—The period of tenure of command of Lieut.-Colonel H. S. Tobin, D.S.O., is extended to Sept. 14, 1924.

Third Bn. (47th Bn., C.E.F.)—The period of tenure of command of Lieut.-Col. A. L. Coots is extended to Sept. 14, 1924.

The Seaforth Highlanders of Canada (72nd Bn., C.E.F.)—The period of tenure of command of Lieut.-Col. G. H. Kirkpatrick, D.S.O., is extended to Sept. 14, 1924.

The Irish Fusiliers of Canada (121st Bn., C.E.F.)—Captain M. A. M. Marsden is transferred to the Corps Reserve, Dec. 15, 1922.

191. Attachment—Major and Col. J. E. Keen, C.M.G., T.D., Corps Reserve, 5th B.C. Light Horse, is attached to Brigade Headquarters, 22d Infantry Brigade, for musketry duties, without expense to the public, with effect from Oct. 1, 1923.

192. Foreign Languages Examination—January, 1924. It is notified for the information of all concerned that the foreign languages examination in French and German will be held in January next.

All officers desirous of attending this examination are requested to forward their names to these headquarters not later than November 1, 1923. (V. 62-1-1).

1923. Imperial Service Order, Imperial Service Medal—Attention is directed to the marginally noted awards.

The Imperial Service Order may be awarded to members of the administrative or clerical branches of the Civil Service who have rendered twenty-five years' meritorious service. The Imperial Service Medal may be awarded, on retirement, after twenty-five years' meritorious service, to those members of the Civil Service who are not eligible for appointment as Companion of the Order (i.e. messenger, janitor, storekeeper, etc.). Recommendations for either of these awards should be submitted to these headquarters for submission to the Deputy Minister, Department of National Defence (Director of Records), and it should be borne in mind that meritorious service is essential in the case of both awards, and that in the case of the Imperial Service Medal, the candidate must have been retired before the recommendation is submitted. (V. 23-21-1).

194. Moves—The following moves are authorized: Lieut.-Col. and Bvt. Colonel L. Drum, C.B.E., R.C.A.M.C., Medical Services, from Victoria to Vancouver, 7-10-23. Armt. S.M. E. Durling, R.C.O.C.; Art. Lieut. E. Fromson, R.C.O.C.; from Victoria to Vancouver, 2-10-23. Captain J. M. Cumming, D.C.O., M.D. 11, Cadet Services, from Victoria to Vancouver, 7-10-23. L.Cpl. F. H. Hawes, R.C.O.C., Ordnance Services, from Victoria to Vancouver, 9-10-23. H. C. GREER, Lieutenant-Colonel, A.A. & Q.M.G., M.D. No. 11.



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EXPLORERS HEAR MUSIC BY RADIO

ARCTIC SOLITUDES CHEERED WITH ETHERIAL MELODY

Captain MacMillan's Eskimo Neighbors Cannot Understand Manifestation of "White Magic"

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NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—With his ship the Bowdoin frozen fast in the waters of Smith Sound and the thermometer nine above zero, Captain Donald MacMillan, twentieth century Arctic explorer, has settled down to ten months of Arctic Winter mitigated by radio, motion pictures and other devices undreamed of by his predecessors.

This news was conveyed in a radio message flashed through the static by Donald Mix, MacMillan's operator, to Jack Barnsley, radio amateur, at his station at Prince Rupert, British Columbia.

Radio has brought the civilized world to Refuge Harbor, the bleak haven on the North Greenland coast, where the MacMillan party is frozen in.

"We have heard several hundred amateur stations from as far away as Los Angeles, Mexico and the Hawaiian Islands," Mix told Barnsley. "The Eskimos are very much interested in hearing voices from America. They do not understand how it can be possible. When the news gets abroad that we have the wireless and motion pictures on the Bowdoin the whole tribe will be here on moonlight nights of November and December."

Touch With Civilization
The party is stringing a new antenna from the mast of the ship to the shore cliffs. When it is in operation they expect to reach many of the hundreds of radio relay League amateurs who are listening in nightly for word from WNTF.

Within a month the sun will have left Refuge Harbor and will not return for 118 days. In the twilight of Fall MacMillan's Eskimo will hunt polar bears and reindeer. All members of the party have been busy laying in a winter meat supply. They have killed a number of seals, Arctic hares, walrus and ptarmigan.

Details of the trip up and the establishment of winter quarters at Refuge Harbor are given by Captain



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"The Universal Wallboard"

MacMillan in the following exclusive dispatch received by Barnsley:
"We are in Refuge Harbor, North Greenland, ten miles north of Etah, our winter quarters in 1912 to 1917. We have decided to remain here all winter, as conditions for our scientific work and a good travel are most satisfactory. Cape Sabine, where seventeen men of the Greeley Expedition died of starvation in 1884, is across the narrowest part of the Sound, only twenty-four miles away. When the time comes for us to set up the tablet entrusted to us by the National Geographic Society of Washington, we can easily cover this distance by dog team. It should take six hours."

Old Memorial Found
"We have the meat of five walrus packed away in the rocks all ready. The ship is practically unloaded, and the food packed in boxes on the shore. The magnetic observatory is nearly ready for the installation of instruments. Regular observations will commence in a few days."

Here on the west cape of Refuge Harbor we have found the cairn built seventy years ago by the first American Arctic explorer, Dr. Ellisha Kent Kane. Here he celebrated his farthest North in Smith Sound by waving a flag from his cap lining bound to a kun ramrod. This flag was found in 1914, sixty-one years later, under an iron pot, a few miles north of our present situation.

"We left Godthaab, South Greenland, on July 21, after being royally entertained by the Danish inhabitants and the native Eskimos. We encountered head winds at every stage of the journey northward, but, fortunately, little ice. The weather was generally clear, thanks to the northerly winds, which sweep most of the ice out of Melville Bay, and make the northern trip easier. We followed what the whalers term the inside passage, laying our course very close shore to circumnavigate the pack. We reached Cape York, 75 degrees north latitude, on August 6."

More News of Cook
"We were very sorry to learn that many of our native friends were dead, victims of influenza, which carried off at least a fifth of all the Smith Sound natives. Several of Peary's best dog drivers are dead, also many of my expedition of 1912 to 1917. The survivors are a bit discouraged, and many of them have moved southward to better hunting grounds in the vicinity of the great capes bordering Melville Bay."

"From the Eskimos I have selected two of the finest boys, Etokashoo and his brother, Kakoteah. The name of the former may be familiar; he figured largely in the Cook-Peary controversy. He was the companion of Dr. Cook on the romantic North Pole trip. Etokashoo's story is the same today as that he told Peary fourteen years ago: that the Cook party went west and south, not north."

"On the way up the coast we stopped at several points, but with the greatest interest at Etah, where we had lived for four years. Our large and comfortable house there has been completely demolished. The site is marked only by scrap iron and rusty tin cans. This is not to be expected in a land where wood is more precious than gold. At Etah we met the Canadian ship, Arctic, bound for Cape Sabine to install a police post. This is to protect the wild life of Ellesmere Land—especially the musk oxen—from the Greenland Eskimos, who make annual hunting excursions into Ellesmere Land."

Captain MacMillan gave his position as lat. 73.30 N., long. 72.30 W.

IMPERIAL DEFENCE IS VITAL PROBLEM

Chief Topic Before Imperial Conference Next Week Is the Protection of the Empire

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The coming week will see the Imperial Conference at grips with its vital problem of the defence of the Empire.

When the Conference meets again on Monday afternoon, Lord Curzon will reply to the observations of the Premiers of the Dominions on the British foreign policy, and the Marquis of Salisbury, Lord President of the Council, will open a general discussion on Empire defence.

From present indications it is not at all likely that any extended report of the discussion on the foreign policy will be made public. Lord Curzon is understood to be opposed to it and in British circles the point of view is in the nature of an Empire Cabinet with cabinet regulations regarding secrecy.

It remains yet for the Conference to determine what its attitude shall be respecting publicity in connection with the defence debate. There is a wide feeling, especially among the Dominions' representatives that the proceedings of the conference should be made known as fully as possible. While the Conference of Premiers discuss the question of defence the Economic Conference will take up the Baldwin Government's proposals with regard to increased preference.

Professors Must Not Partake of Liquor

MONTREAL, Oct. 13.—At the closing session here yesterday of the Provincial convention of temperance forces, a resolution was passed strongly disapproving of professors and teachers taking a stand publicly in favor of drink, habits and customs, and urging the Government to co-operate with the United States in preventing rum running.

Another resolution deprecated the establishment in any college town or place where there was a returned soldier hospital, of a saloon or bar, and asked the Government to amend the law to stop shipping liquor into dry areas.

Asserts Rum Runners Murdered Near Seattle

SEATTLE, Oct. 13.—Andrew Johansen and Ludwig Holten, whose bodies were found in the waters of the Dumas Bay, twenty-four miles south of Seattle, the morning of September 19, were murdered in a rum-runners' war, John C. Calhoun of Los Angeles, charged in Seattle last night. Calhoun, whose wife was formerly married to Johansen, made the statement before a committee of the Police W. B. Severyn yesterday and repeated it to newspapermen last night.

A coroner's inquest resulted in a finding of death by drowning mainly on the testimony of M. Holten, brother of Ludwig Holten.

CHESS COLUMN

"Good company's a chessboard."
—Byron's "Don Juan."

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Problem No. 15

(By F. J. Amos, British Chess Magazine.)

BLACK—12 pieces



WHITE—5 pieces

White to play and mate in 3 moves

Solution to Problem No. 14

1. B-Q 7, etc.

We give below an interesting game won by our esteemed contributor, Mr. S. Mlotkowski from Mr. C. Jaffe, one of the best known players of New York. The notes are by Mr. J. H. Biske in The British Chess Magazine.

Ruby Lopes

WHITE C. Jaffe

1. P-K 4

2. N-K B 3

3. B-N 5

4. B-R 4

5. P-B 3

6. B-N 4

7. N x P

8. Q x P

9. P-K 4

10. Q-R 5

11. P-K 5

12. P x N

13. Castles

14. P-B 7 ch

15. P-K B 4

16. Q-R 6

17. P-Q 3

18. Castles

19. R-N 5

20. Q-R 5

21. P-R 5

22. Q-R 5

23. P-Q 3

24. Castles

25. R-N 5

26. Q-R 5

27. P-Q 3

28. Castles

29. R-N 5

30. Q-R 5

31. P-Q 3

32. Castles

33. R-N 5

34. Q-R 5

35. P-Q 3

36. Castles

37. R-N 5

38. Q-R 5

39. P-Q 3

40. Castles

41. R-N 5

42. Q-R 5

43. P-Q 3

44. Castles

45. R-N 5

46. Q-R 5

47. P-Q 3

48. Castles

49. R-N 5

50. Q-R 5

51. P-Q 3

52. Castles

53. R-N 5

54. Q-R 5

55. P-Q 3

56. Castles

57. R-N 5

58. Q-R 5

59. P-Q 3

60. Castles

61. R-N 5

62. Q-R 5

63. P-Q 3

64. Castles

65. R-N 5

66. Q-R 5

67. P-Q 3

68. Castles

69. R-N 5

70. Q-R 5

71. P-Q 3

72. Castles

out) of driving Black's Queen's Bishop off the dangerous diagonal Q 4 to K N 7; but P-Q 4 effectively keeps out the other Bishop for a little while.

17. Q-R-N 1

18. Q-R 3

19. Q-R 3

20. K-B 2

21. Q-R 1

22. K-K 2

23. B-Q 2 might have produced a very lively finish thus: 22. P-Q 4, B x P ch; 23. P-B (23. King moves, Q-B 1 wins the White Queen); 24. P ch; 24. B-K 3, R x P ch; 25. P x R, B-N 7 ch; 26. K-K 1, Q x B ch; 27. K-Q 1, Q-Q 6 ch; 28. K-K 1, Q-K 5 ch; 29. K-Q 1, Q-B 7 ch; 30. K-K 1, Q-B 8 ch; 31. Q-Q 1, Q-K 6 ch; 32. Q-K 2, Q x Q, Mate.

20. Q-N 2

21. Q-B 1; 21. R-K 1 is now a sufficient answer.

22. K-K 2

23. B-Q 2 might have produced a very lively finish thus: 22. P-Q 4, B x P ch; 23. P-B (23. King moves, Q-B 1 wins the White Queen); 24. P ch; 24. B-K 3, R x P ch; 25. P x R, B-N 7 ch; 26. K-K 1, Q x B ch; 27. K-Q 1, Q-Q 6 ch; 28. K-K 1, Q-K 5 ch; 29. K-Q 1, Q-B 7 ch; 30. K-K 1, Q-B 8 ch; 31. Q-Q 1, Q-K 6 ch; 32. Q-K 2, Q x Q, Mate.

22. Q-N 2

23. B-Q 2

24. Q x K R

25. P x B

26. P x B

27. R x P ch and wins

Employment and Immigration

Before the war unemployment was constant, although the number of persons emigrating every year, was about a quarter of a million. During the war emigration was stopped, and has been calculated that in consequence the accumulated surplus amounted to about a million persons. A large proportion of these would have gone to the Dominions, where they would have become customers for British manufactures. One result is that there are now many more people in this country than its industries can employ. Another result is that the population of the Dominions has not been greatly increased by immigration. It is, therefore, to be said that in a sense Great Britain is over-populated.—Morning Post.

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Letters of a Japanese Schoolboy

By WALLACE IRWIN—Illustrated by Ralph Bates

The Progress of Science
To Editor Hon. Colonist, who have a
manila for World Movements &
other Conic Strips.
Dear Sir—
What will Science be doing next,
and if so when?
I ask to know.
I tell you how I come to get this
dense thought wedged in my brain.
Last Thursday p.m., while resting
from my servant-girling employment
in Hon. Kitchen of Mr. & Mrs. U. W.
Quackmore, I took a slight recreation
in Zoology Park for look at animals
& choose which one I am descended
from, if any.
Right befront of a very fierce cage
I stood with Darwin expression while
reading enlarged signal:
AFRICAN LION
HANKLE HIM AT
YOUR OWN EXPENSE.
My brain commence galloping and
I think, "Everything cost something
nowadays. You cannot even handle
these without paying for it."
I might have thought still more,
but of suddenly I was scared out of
my left shoe by enlarged very sound
like Hon. Lion was hollering at his
slater across the street. Jumpa by
me. And what I seen then? Shua!
Or was it? Standing so close I
could scratch him were a sort of
sidewalk gentleman with considerable
intellect under his straw hat tied on
with string. One glimpse at his bias
whisker informed me that he was a
Professor.
"Ah, Star-faced Japanese boy!"
He shout that megaphonically. "I
am so reliever to see you are interested
in Scientific yak."
"Pleased to meet them, I am
sure!" This from me.
"Good!" he chub. "Then let us
knock our brains together on yonder
dandy bench while holding a discuss-
ing match. I can unscramble the
Progress of Science for you all this
way from A to Z or in similar letters
in Jewish."
So we go to bench where I see
down greatly pleased by my newborn
friend. Mr. Editor, I have met sev-

eral great statues in my life, but
never before have I observed such
concentrated eye-glances like that
Hon. Professor had.
"Where shall we begin?" he ask to
know, setting his wise elbow on my
knee.
"What kinds have you?" I requite
happily.
"Let us commence of Science of
Electricity," he sober up. "In yr.
1923 electricity have advanced in
leaps and hops. You have heard of
Dr. Steinmetz? You have. This
Hon. Steinmetz can accomplish any-
thing by electricity. By his subar-
bantic he have invented an Elec-
trickle Massage which will do away

with all other vermines would do
mine," he exclaim. "Four (4) hrs.
work duty for everybody—carpenter,
banker, boot-lisser, patriot."
"What would leave 16 hrs vacation
duty for all human races?" I ask.
"What could person do with as much
time hooked to their hands?"
"Sometimes one thing, sometimes
something else," pronounce Hon. Prof.
nudging his teeth emotionally. "Think
of how much there remains to do with

famous doctor from Canada have
brewed a peculiar liquor name of
Insulin. He make it in his cellar
secretively."
"Nearly everybody in U. S. do that,
yet they seldom cure anybody!" I
exclaim.
"Possibly," he begins. "But this
Insulin make you live forever
whether you like it or not. A famous
doctor in Chicago have discovered
another way to live indefinitely! Take
the Dirty Dozed by Walter Campus
every 4 hrs. and eat nothing but raw
carrots."
"Think of the suicide it would
cause!" I moan.
"Perhaps. But what are suicide
compared with good health? & see
how Hon. Rockefeller Institute are
working at night to keep Hon. Jno.
D. young as Hon. Chauncey M.
Dewey! Observe how many boyish
old men are popping up on every
side! How do they get such a spry?



Right befront of a very fierce cage I stood with Darwin expression.

with hair, thusly making barbers un-
necessary. He have invented an
electricke automobile which will do
away with Forda, thusly earning vote
of thanks from entire human race."
"He are indeedly more of an Elec-
trickle Lizard than Hon. Thos. A.
Edison," I say excitedly.
"Indeedly so!" narrate Hon. Prof.
"What have Hon. Edison ever accom-
plished except make pickled music and
restless photos? But this Hon. Stein-
metz can manufacture lightning
which jump out of a box.
"Do he know some way to get it
back again?" I beseech nervously.
"That will come. That will come,"
4th Hon. Prof. "In meanwhile his
enlarged Steinmetz brain keep on
thinking new Science for benefit of
human race. You know what he say?
He say that Electricity will be only
thing needed by Human Race in 211
yrs. Think that! How easy to live
by Electricity! You require dinner?
Merely send Dottie round to Dele-
tensens Store for 1 qrt. electricity.
You require shoe-polish, newspaper,
policeman, gum, divorce & Sedlitz
powder? Who will get it for you?
Electricity, by Hack!"
"That will be very reliever for
working man," I manipulate.
"You said that!" he renounce.
"Hon. Steinmetz promus faithfully

no time to do so! With 20 hrs think-
ing daley people could find out what
Hon. Radio Set are trying to say when
it start that hooting noise."
"Or they could find some sweet
substitutior for Coal," I suggest.
"Electricke have found that already,"
He grip.
"Congratulate!" I holla. "What are
this substitutor for Coal?"
"Electricke," he reply & keep on. "In
211 yrs. deep breathing & Electricity
will do all work for mankind. By
those time we will have electricke
plumbers, electricke politicians, elec-
trickle actresses, electricke pris-
fights."
"Electricke funerals also maybe?"
I peruse.
"No, enlarged by 1000!" he jar.
"In 211 yrs. there will not be
funerals."
"How could people die without
one?" I questionaire.
"Ah. That are my sprisel!" he pro-
nounce distinctly. "In 211 yrs
death will be so unfashionable that
nobody will have it in the house.
Please observe Science again."
I do so.
"Famous chemists & druggers all
over world have done something to
kick out disease from every corner.
Maybe you have got slight attack of
diabetea." (I jump). "But be of good
cheerio. You are cured. How is? One

Maybe you could learn by asking
some money and a few gorillas."
"The monkey are the grandfather
of the human race, by Darwin," I
sue.
"Undoubtedly," pulmote Hon.
Prof. "And if not, what then? Let
us talk Astronomy. Kindly look at
the stars all around you."
I attempt to do so, but got too much
sunshin in the eye.
"Do you know that a Professor in
the University of Duluth have dis-
covered a machine that will measure
stars, planets & comets?" he enquirs.
"How muchly do their measure?"
I ask to know.
"Sometime one, sometimes an-
other," he divulge. "Do you realize
the size of his Earth?"
"It seem too large when it earth-
quakes," I report.
"Yet Hon. Sun are 27,000,000 times
larger than Hon. Earth," he
narrate.
"Hon. Sun must feel pretty swell-
head to know that," I say it.
"How could he? For there are
stars residing in Heaven which make
Hon. Sun look like a flyspeck on the
Goddess of Liberty. About 6 blocks
West of the Milky Way there lives a
star name of Beelzebub who are
110,000,000 times more larger than
Hon. Sun. What you would think of
such a star?"
"I would think what a salary he
would get in Hollywood," I exclaim.
"O sordid mind of man!" say Hon.
Prof. with a weep. "Always thinking
about \$11 instead of discussing topics
like Hon. Will Rogers." Togo, I see
I have frittered away my time with
you."
He arose upward & slapped the
sunbeams off his pants.
"O dear!" I narrate, "you must
be going before telling me all!"
"I must hasten to my Laboratory
where I am inventing a chemical that
will end War," he grip nobly.
"How sweetish!" I holla. "And
what are this splendid medicine?"
"It are a poison gas," he bingle.
"A portion of this, smoked in a
cigarette, will kill the entire human
race and several cats."
"Ouchest!" I squeak. "And how you
think such a dreadly inhaler like
that will end War?"
"Maybe if I leave you alone," he
say deeply, "you could think it out
for yourself."
"Therefore he walk away to State
Inane Asylum where he is welcome.
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Yours truly,
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speaking type of representative gov-
ernment is the only consecrated
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to the point where resistance began,
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her way back, just as she has had to
pay for every step in the direction
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